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NATIONAL CONVENTION

Brief Session of Republican Delegates.

THE PROCEEDINGS HARMONIOUS

Fairbanks Temporary Chairman. Committees Appointed—Personnel of the Assemblage.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—Auspiciously and serenely, beneath a sky across whose arched dome not a cloud floated, the chieftains of the Republican party, from the pineries of Maine to the orange groves of California; from the everglades of Florida to the placid waters of Puget Sound, met in council today and in the presence of about 8000 spectators entered upon the work of selecting candidates and enunciating policies for the campaign of 1896.

The first session of the Republican national convention was brief and formal. Chairman Carter of the national committee dropped the gavel at 12.20 and sixty minutes later an adjournment was taken until 10 o'clock tomorrow. There was not a jar to mar the proceedings, there were no sensational incidents to arouse nor any demonstrations to thrill the vast concourse of people.

The temporary chairman, C. W. Fairbanks of Indiana, delivered his address, a strong, forcible statement in arraignment of the present administration and in definement of the issues, the committee selections for the various delegations were announced—that was all.

Those who expected some allusion to McKinley which would loosen bottled-up enthusiasm for the little Napoleon, which has had no tight to uncork it, or who imagined that perhaps some of the great leaders or orators of the party would be called to the platform to fire their imaginations or quicken their pulses were disappointed. It was purely a formal session.

The recognized presidents and generals of the party entered the hall without demonstrations. Platt, Depew, Lodge and Quay were applauded, but Mark Hanna did not create a ripple when he entered with a smiling and confident air. The fierce rivalry that attends contests between struggling giants where the question of supremacy is still to be fought and the battle is yet to be won; which arouse clans and factions to the wildest pitch of excitement and enthusiasm, was lacking. While there may be vain hopes, blighted ambitions and bitter animosities, still tossing beneath the onward sweep of the McKinley tide, those who did not favor the Ohio candidate as their first choice are looking forward with relief to the end of the unequal struggle, knowing it will bring peace and good will in the end.

This being the situation, the main interest today centered in the personality of the great men who assembled in the convention hall. The hall, to which the vast procession wended its way, although unpretentious in exterior, is admirably adopted for the purpose to which it is put. A vast oblong structure, it is about 300 feet long by 150 wide, and almost 100 feet high. The two galleries which extend all about the interior, descend abruptly to the edge of the broad pit from which today 900 delegates and as many alternates looked up into the face of the speaker.

The decorations are simple but effective. Bunting and flags conceal the trusses and pillars, the galleries are adorned with the coats of arms of the states, while in conspicuous places hang the portraits of Grant, Lincoln and other heroes of the past. The galleries today were well filled, but not crowded, it being estimated about 8000 persons were present. The campaign clubs, which had marched to the hall to the clamor of martial music, were present in uniform, and a very large proportion of the spectators were ladies. The band stationed in the gallery over the platform enlivened the brilliant gathering with popular airs at intervals.

But, as stated above, the real interest in the first session was centered in the personality of the convention. On the platform ranged behind the chairman sat his colleagues on the national committee, a notable gathering of astute party gents.

In front sat the delegates, the chosen leaders in their states and communities. Most prominent, immediately below the stand, was the big four of Ohio—Hanna, the king maker, the dashing Foraker, Governor Bushnell and General Grosvenor. Directly in their rear were the Indiana delegates, clustering about General Lew Wallace, whose name is famed in politics, literature and war, while to the rear of them were the Pennsylvania delegates headed by the majestic Hastings and the silent spinx-like Quay, the conqueror of so many hard fought political battles.

In the next tier of seats was the New York contingent with Platt, the old associate of the imperial Conkling, at the head of the dominant faction and the suave Depew and Warner Miller, the leaders of the opposition. Massachusetts, with Senator Lodge in command, was just beyond, while to the right of the stand sat Senator Teller, about whom the radical silver forces cluster, his face grave, stern and determined.

Scattered throughout the pit were others of no less renown in the councils of the party; Governor Bradley of Kentucky, who seconded Grant's nomination in 1880 and who, like Senator Wellington, of Maryland, who sat opposite, succeeded last fall in wresting their states from Democratic rule; "Dave" Henderson, the brilliant Iowa orator, and his colleagues, Senator Gear and Colonel Hepburn, who took charge of the Allison boom; ex-Governor Merriam, of Minnesota, the champion of gold; the venerable white haired Dick Thompson, of Indiana, who has figured so conspicuously in the history of his party, now 87 years old, but seemingly with many years of life and vigor before him; General Walker of Virginia; the genial Hobart of New Jersey and Evans of Tennessee, both aspiring for the vice presidential nomination; William Pitt Kellogg of Louisiana, who was governor of his state in the wild days of the Hayes-Tilden returning board; General Russell A. Alger of Michigan, who was an aspirant for the nomination in the bitter struggle of 1888; Kerns, Patterson, Tanner, Buckley and a host of others.

The sentiment regarding the vice presidential nomination rapidly crystalized today when it became definitely known that Governor Morton of New York was willing to accept if the nomination came to him with any sort of unanimity. It seems almost as reasonably certain now that the ticket will be McKinley and Morton, as that the platform will be a conservative but unequivocal declaration in favor of the maintenance of the gold standard as long as the present system prevails.

The committees were hard at work as soon as the convention adjourned. The action of the committee on credentials in deciding in favor of the findings of the national committee save in two instances, it is believed will make the convention brief, and many now believe that the final adjournment will be reached Thursday. The indications are that the sensational climax will come tomorrow when the report of the resolutions committee is presented. The adoption of the platform is assured by a large majority, but the radical silver men are expected to carry the fight to the last ditch.

THE GAVEL FALLS.

Detailed Proceedings of the First Session.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—At 12.20 p.m. the gavel fell. The usual bustle and commotion followed as the delegates and audience settled into their seats and Chairman Thomas H. Carter of the national committee declared the Republican presidential convention of 1896 open for the business before it. He said:

"The convention will be open. Gentlemen not delegates and alternates will retire from the space in front of the chair. Gentlemen in the aisles will vacate them, acquire seats and cease conversation. All persons in the aisles will promptly retire. Such persons are requested promptly to retire. Their presence standing in the aisles will obstruct the proceedings of the convention." After a pause a number of delegates still remaining standing, Chairman Carter resumed his duty of calling the body to order.

"The sergeant-at-arms will see that the aisles are promptly cleared."

When all were seated Mr. Carter made the following explanation:

"Gentlemen of the convention—Owing to the fact that a concert was held in this auditorium last night, the cards designating the places of the respective states and territories became somewhat disarranged. The defect will be remedied during the recess which is to follow this session of the convention, so that hereafter seats will be provided at properly designated places for each state and territory. The convention being in order the chaplain will offer prayer."

Rev. Rabbi Sasle then came forward upon the platform and amid the hush of the assembled convention delivered the invocation.

The secretary, Joseph H. Manley, of the national committee, read the call of the convention, after which Chairman Carter said:

"Gentlemen of the convention, by direction of the committee I present, subject to your approval, for your temporary chairman, Hon. Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana." (Applause.)

Mr. Sutherland of New York was recognized and said:

"On behalf of the delegation from New York we desire to move that the recommendation of the national committee in the selection of temporary chairman be now approved."

The motion was put by Chairman Carter and carried by a unanimous vote and the convention received the result with cheers.

Chairman Carter—"I now have the distinguished honor to present to you as your temporary presiding officer, the Hon. Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana."

Mr. Fairbanks was liberally applauded throughout his address. Certain parts of his address were especially cheered, not only by the convention but by the immense audience in the galleries. Among the points which elicited special commendation were the following:

"The government cannot transform silver into gold, nor can it by unlimited fiat make 50 cents worth 100 cents."

"It requires as much labor to earn a poor dollar as it requires so earn a good one."

"We protest against the policy of lowering our commercial honor. We protest against Democratic attempts to lower the standard of our currency to the low level of Mexico, China and Japan."

"The present standard of our currency, our honor, will be safely respected and preserved by the Republican party."

"A commercial pan-American congress was conceived by James G. Blaine."

During the prolonged applause following the name of James G. Blaine, Willet J. Hale of Newburyport, Mass., proposed three cheers for James G. Blaine, which were given with a will. The following expressions in Mr. Fairbanks' speech were loudly applauded.

"The Monroe doctrine must be firmly upheld and the powers of the earth made to respect this great and unwritten law."

"There can be no further territorial aggrandizement by foreign governments on the Western continent."

"The Republican party believes in the development of our navy and merchant marine until we establish our undisputed supremacy upon the high seas."

"The struggle for human liberty enlists the sympathies of the Republican party—a party that gave to liberty on the Western continent its fullest meaning."

"We wish to see a new republic born on the Cuban soil."

"The voice of the Democratic party is for free trade, and free silver against honest money and a protective tariff."

"In the words of a distinguished Republican the desire of the American people is for an honest currency and a chance to earn it by honest toil."

Mr. William Lamb of Virginia offered the following:

"*Resolved*, That until the permanent organization is effected this convention will be governed by the rules of the last Republican convention."

The motion was unanimously carried.

Mr. Lamb of Virginia, also offered the following:

"*Resolved*, That the roll of states and territories be now called, and that the chairman of each delegation announce the names of the persons selected to serve on the several committees as follows: Permanent organization; rules and order of business; credentials; resolutions, and that all resolutions in relation to the platform of the Republican party be referred to such committee."

The resolution was adopted.

The clerk proceeded with the call of the roll. While it was in progress the chair recognized William Walner of Missouri, who addressed the chair as follows:

"My observation has heretofore been that the committee on permanent organization and rules and order of business is one committee. Does the resolution adopted substitute two committees?"

The chairman replied: "They are two committees. They are separate."

The committees were then appointed.

When the committees had been announced Mr. Clayton of Arkansas said:

"I have a resolution to present to be referred to the committee on rules and order of business."

The chair said: "The resolution cannot be read if there is objection, so it can only be read by unanimous consent. Is there objection?"

Cries of "objection."

Grosvenor of Ohio moved that the convention do now adjourn until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

Mr. Clayton of Arkansas, addressing the chair, said:

"I think my resolution referring to the platform is important and ask that it be read."

The chairman—"Under the rules of the last convention the resolution will be referred without reading to the committee on resolutions."

Ex-Governor Fifer of Illinois was recognized and said:

"Mr. Chairman, the colored people of Illinois have passed resolutions affecting the rights of their race and they have asked me to bring these resolutions to the attention of the convention. I will send to the chair and ask that they be referred to the committee on resolutions."

The chairman—"If there is no objection it will be so ordered."

Mr. Grosvenor—"I now move that the convention adjourn until tomorrow morning."

The motion was put to a vote and carried, and at 1.56 the chairman announced the convention adjourned.

RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE.

Sub-Committee Appointed to Draft a Platform.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—The committee on resolutions met at the Lindell hotel at 2.30 p. m. Over half an hour was spent in general conference and in unloading the resolutions that had been referred to the different members. Some of the members had their pockets full of papers. Even the silver men were divided on the phraseology of their plank and each silver member of the committee had his own version.

It was seen at the start that Lodge and Foraker and others were co-operating together. Senator Lodge called the committee to order and presented the name of Foraker of Ohio. The silver men presented the name of Senator Dubois of Idaho. Then Charles E. Pryor, Foraker's law partner, who was with him, was made teller and temporary secretary. The roll was called showing thirty-nine present and twelve absent and an official list of the membership was made up before the states were called on the vote for chairman. The roll call resulted:

Foraker 35, Dubois 4, and the former was declared by Senator Lodge the chairman.

The four votes cast for Dubois were those of Messrs. Teller of Colorado, Mott of North Carolina, Hartman of Montana and Cannon of Utah. Dubois and Foraker declined to vote.

General Lew Wallace of Indiana was unanimously chosen secretary and a resolution was carried immediately to appoint a sub-committee of seven to draft the platform, and Chairman Foraker named as the committee Meriam of Minnesota, Fessenden of Connecticut, Teller of Colorado, Lodge of Massachusetts, Warmouth of Louisiana and the chairman. Burleigh of Washington moved to enlarge the committee on the ground that it should represent every section of the country. Foraker replied that he did not consider geography a makeup of the committee, but appointed men to represent the different ideas on the currency question as nearly as possible. The motion to increase the committee carried and Burleigh of Washington and Lauterbach of New York were added. The committee then adjourned pending the report of the sub-committee.

The sub-committee on resolutions resolved to recommend to the committee on resolutions the following financial plank:

"The Republican party is unreservedly for sound money. It caused the enactment of the law providing for the resumption of specie payments in 1879; since then every dollar has been as good as gold.

"We are unalterably opposed to every measure calculated to debase our currency or impair the credit of our country. We are, therefore, opposed to a free coinage of silver, except by international agreement with the leading commercial nations of the world, which we pledge ourselves to promote and until such agreement can be obtained, the existing gold standard must be preserved. All our silver and paper currency now in circulation must be maintained at a parity with gold, and we favor all measures designed to maintain inviolable the obligations of the United States and all our money, whether coin or paper, at the present standard, the standard of the most enlightened nations of the earth."

Senator Teller offered a free-coinage resolution as a substitute, which was voted down.

This will go to the full committee tomorrow.

COMMITTEE ON RULES.

Order of Convention Business Decided Upon.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—The committee on rules and order of business met tonight. Congressman Bingham of Pennsylvania was elected chairman and the committee decided to allow six votes to each of the territories and two to the District of Columbia, as arranged by the national committee. It was also decided that the rules of the house of representatives of the Fifty-fourth congress shall be the governing rules of the convention.

According to the rules as adopted the convention will proceed in the following order of business:

Report of the committee on credentials, report of the committee on permanent organization, report of the committee on resolutions, naming members of the national committee, presentation of candidates for President, balloting, presentation of candidates for Vice President, balloting.

STILL IN THE RACE.

Morton's Name Will be Presented for First Place.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—So dissatisfied was Mr. Depew with the situation, and so disturbed over the rumors that Morton would accept second place, that at 8 o'clock he sent this message to Governor Morton:

"Hon. Levi P. Morton, Ellerslie:—Stories circulated tonight say you have decided to accept the vice presidential nomination instead of the presidency. Do I understand that you have rescinded your former telegram to me?

"CHAUNCEY M. DEPEW."

Shortly after 10 o'clock this answer came to me:

"Chauncey M. Depew:—Telegram received. Stories circulated are unfounded. I have rescinded nothing.

"LEVI P. MORTON."

Mr. Depew showed this to the Associated Press correspondent and said: "I have no alternate but to present Mr. Morton's name to the convention for President."

When these telegrams were shown to Mr. Platt in his room tonight he said: "I don't see that the situation is changed. Mr. Morton is our candidate for President. If he is defeated then we can consider his fitness for the other office. I never expected that Mr. Morton would withdraw from the presidential race."

Fifteen prominent adherents of the Miller faction met at Mr. Bliss' room tonight and signed the appeal against the candidacy of Morton for Vice President. It was decided that in the morning every endeavor would be made to obtain the assistance of the delegations from other states.

CALIFORNIANS CAUCUS.

Decide to Stand by Silver to the Last.

ST. LOUIS, June 16.—The California delegation met today prior to proceeding to the convention, and on motion of Congressman Johnson, decided, by a rising and unanimous vote, to stand out for the free and unlimited coinage of silver to the last and follow Teller in all things concerning the financial question, stopping short only at walking out of the convention hall after the convention's action on the platform. Johnson was also instructed to go before the committee on resolutions and make an argument for free silver. He will support the free silverites in a speech on the floor of the convention if given an opportunity. Senator Warner of Wyoming will present a resolution for the coinage of American silver product.

WILL NOT DECEIVE VOTERS

A Newspaper's Opinion of the Proposed Financial Plank.

DENVER, June 16.—The *Rocky Mountain News* will say tomorrow of the financial plank agreed upon by the sub-committee: "If the man who have formulated this plank think that its language will deceive any voters in the West they are destined to realize the blunder they have made in November next. It is the cold-blooded monometallism of Wall Street, stated in the words of the truckling and cowardly politicians. The original Lodge resolution as reported in Tuesday morning's telegrams was less offensive and was much more direct and honest."

IDENTIFIED THE LETTER.

Leach Says Baldwin's Agent Paid $125 for It.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—If Miss Lillian Ashley has spent more than one uncomfortable day during the progress of her damage suit, owing to the ungloved handling of her past by Mr. Baldwin's attorneys, she had at least a partial revenge today. She had been tricked and duped by detective Wood of Boston and his assistant, Mr. Barnes, but she had the balm to her injured feelings of hearing Mr. Crittenden put Barnes through a severe course of drilling. The evidence was also an interesting exposition of the methods of the private detective agency in handling scandals in high life, and Messrs. Wood and Barnes will scarcely return to Boston with very tender recollections of California courts. The letters which they had written to deceive Miss Ashley were produced in evidence, and showed a systematic selling out of his penniless client by Mr. Wood in favor of one who could pay him better.

Lewis Leach of Fresno identified the letter written him by Miss Ashley. He said Mr. Baldwin's agent had paid him $125 for it.

HOLDING THE FORT.

Trouble Over Water Right in Mariposa County.

COULTERVILLE, June 16.—The Broadhead dam of the Merced river, seven miles from Coulterville, is being held by two parties with shotguns. The water right was located on May 3d by Captain A. H. Ward of Alameda and Charles Linder of Berkeley for electrical power purposes. Ward and Linder put a force of men to work last week doing preliminary work. They intend to erect a large plant to supply power to the various mining companies of Mariposa county.

Last night about 12 o'clock several armed men from Bear valley arrived at the dam and warned Mr. Linder, who is in charge of the work, to vacate the premises, but he is still holding possession. It is supposed that the armed men are in the employ of the Mariposa grant people, who are about to dispose of their property and desire the water right to make the sale valuable.

IDAHO DEMOCRATS.

Resolution Adopted Demanding Free Coinage.

POCATELLO, Idaho, June 16.—About fifty delegates attended the Democratic state convention today, and the resolutions adopted demanded free coinage of silver. The delegates from this state to the national Democratic convention are instructed to support no man for nomination for President or vice president who does not indorse the views expressed in the resolutions and pledges himself to carry out the same, and that the delegation vote as a unit on all questions in the said convention. An amendment condemning Cleveland's financial policy was not adopted.

Growing Grain Burned.

MODESTO, June 16.—This afternoon fire started in the wheat field of the Garner ranch, five miles northeast of this city, and burned half a section of summer-fallowed grain, which was estimated to yield twenty-five bushels to the acre. The fire started from an engine engaged in chopping hay. The grain was owned by O. McHenry and was insured for $10 per acre.

Eva Evans Granted a Divorce.

VISALIA, June 16.—Eva Evans, daughter of Chris Evans, was granted a divorce today from her husband, Jim Evans. The latter is a soldier in the United States army and made no appearance.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

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MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN IN SUMS TO SUIT ON city property. HABER BROS & CO. j14-m1

TO LOAN—ONE TO FOUR THOUSAND DOLlars to loan on first-class real estate. Apply of T. A. BELL, 1930 Mariposa street, room 9. d18tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES—ROOMS—ETC

FOR RENT—LARGE, WELL FURNISHED front room. Suitable for two. 920 O st. j17tf

FOR RENT—SANTA CRUZ HOUSE OF 6 OR 7 rooms, partially furnished, opposite Carnival site, $30 per month; others completely furnished; cheap. Address Mrs. Myra Hobbs, Santa Cruz, or T. S. Price, Fresno. j16t7

FOR RENT—HOUSE OF FIVE ROOMS, nearly furnished, corner of L and Tuolumne streets. Inquire of George H. Bernhard, 1111 J street. j16tf

FOR RENT—IN OAKLAND FOR 2 OR 3 months from July 1st, furnished house of 10 rooms and bath, nicely situated. An excellent opportunity for party desiring to spend the summer near the bay. Terms reasonable. Address P.O. box 504, Oakland, Cal. j12t6

FOR RENT—5-ROOM COTTAGE, 2510 MARIposa street, corner of P. Apply on premises. j12t6*

FOR RENT—THREE LARGE SHADY FURnished rooms for housekeeping, block from court house; also furnished cottage of 4 rooms at 1129 N street, and other unfurnished rooms. Apply 1744 N street. j10t6*

FOR RENT—SIX-ROOM HOUSE WITH plenty of shade and all the modern appliances; large barn and carriage house; within two blocks of court house. Inquire at 1007 N street. j10t6*

FOR RENT—FURNISHED HOUSE OF FOUR rooms, 1510 L street; no children. j9t6*

FOR RENT—A FURNISHED HOUSE OF 7 rooms and bath for 2 months. Apply 1720 Inyo street. j9tf

FOR RENT—MRS. J. C. HERRINGTON HAS opened a first-class house with all the comforts of a home for young men; cool and pleasantly situated. 1457 J street. j4m1

FOR RENT—NICELY FURNISHED ROOMS cheap. Inquire at 1459 L street. j3

FOR RENT—610 S STREET, HOUSE OF FOUR rooms, sheds, corral and eight lots; good place for teamster. Apply to T. C. WHITE, 1659 I street, Fresno. j9t6

FOR RENT—A TWO STORY BRICK HOUSE, double walls, six rooms and bath, large cellar, wind mill and tank, plenty water, barn, on Glenn avenue. Apply to F. F. LETCHER, 1324 M street. m30tf

FOR RENT NICE FURNISHED HOUSE, cheap. HABER BROS. & CO. m23t1m

FOR RENT—UNFURNISHED HOUSE, 6 rooms and bath. Apply to A. WARNEKROS. a22tf

TO LET—FIRST-CLASS ALFALFA PASTURage, fine shade for stock, no barb wire fence. Apply to THOS. ADAMS, on premises East Fresno, or to F. G. BERRY. m15tf

WANTED—HELP

WANTED—PROMPT AND FAITHFUL gentleman or lady to travel for reliable established house in California. Salary $780, payable $15 weekly and expenses. Situation permanent. References. Enclose self-addressed stamped envelope. H. E. HESS, Pres., 356 Dearborn street, Chicago. m26t21

WE MUST HAVE HELP. WE PAY MEN and women $10 to $18 per week for easy home work. No books or peddling. Steady employment guaranteed. Send stamp for work and particulars at once. HERMAN & SEYMOUR, 213 South Sixth street, Philadelphia, Pa. a7

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE CHEAP—1 SIMPLEX HATCHER and brooder. Inquire at 428 S street. j13t2

FOR SALE—BARBER SHOP AND BATH rooms, well furnished, three chairs, best location in town of Madera. Will sell at a reasonable figure. Reason for sale, retiring from business. Parties wishing to purchase must apply immediately. E. PUGH, Madera, Cal. j12t5*

FOR SALE—IMMEDIATELY, 5 HOUSES cheap for cash or monthly installments. 60 acres in Central colony, all checked leveled, ditched and planted with alfalfa; 380 fruit trees in full bearing; 40 acres fenced and cross-fenced; house, barn, chicken houses, etc. 1 22-foot cut Houser harvester, mowers, plows, gang and single, wagons, mules, horses, harness, etc. Apply to CHAS. INNS, office Donahoy, Emmons & Co., Fresno. j7tf

FOR SALE—2 GOOD HORSES AND HARness and 4-horse wagon; all for $165. R. A. HAMILTON, Arlington Heights. j5tf

FOR SALE—GOOD FRESH COWS. APPLY to WM. McINDOO, Jersey Farm Dairy. o14tf

FOR SALE—CHEAP, THE ARCADE HOTEL, corner J and Stanislaus. N. TUNZI. j30t6m

ESTRAYED

ESTRAYED OR STOLEN—FROM THE BURnett hotel, a dark bay mare and phaeton, E. A. Elliott, 1761 J street. j17t3

ESTRAYED—FROM BLACKSTONE AVENUE a red cow heavy with calf. Finder notify A. WARNEKROS, 1915 Mariposa street. j6tf

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—TEAMS TO HAUL MANURE Apply to Hector Burness, Fresno. j17tf

WANTED—VINEYARDISTS AND FRUIT packers to know that we are prepared to furnish trays and all kinds of fruit boxes at reasonable prices; will sell either at mills or delivered in Fresno; 60-lb and 20-lb raisin boxes a specialty. Landale Bros., Pine Ridge. je17m1

WANTED—TO TRADE GOOD WORK HORSE for lumber. P.O. box 6bd. j16t*

WANTED—I WANT TO RENT A COTTAGE of 6 room and barn, either in city or additions. Rent moderate. Address P.O. box 162. j16

WANTED—M. C. MOGENSEN, 1836 FRONT street, for house-painting, paper-hanging and carriage-painting. j4m1*

WANTED—BIDS FOR FURNISHING AND putting up 45 awnings for single windows and 8 awnings to cover 3 windows each. Right reserved to reject any and all bids. For particulars apply to Fresno Loan and Savings Bank. j4

WANTED—CLEAN, DYE AND REPAIR ALL kinds of ladies and gents clothing, washing and ironing, fancy summer dresses, fine laundry work. MRS. A. AVIANI, 1627 Inyo street between J and K. m30t12

WANTED—TO RENT A 6 OR 8 ROOM HOUSE with modern conveniences and plenty of shade. Apply 1058 J street. m29tf

WANTED—A SECOND HAND HAY PRESS in good order. Address E. O. LINDSEY, Madera. m13tf

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, REFINED AND educated, wants to get transportation to the East; will go in any capacity. Address A. R., box 12, care Republican. j16t3

WANTED—SITUATION BY A COMPETENT man to act as salesman, solicitor, agent or any kind of business way. Address "Business Man," box 9, Republican office. j12tf

WANTED—MAN WITH FOUR HORSES wants work in harvest. Call at J. F. Tombs hotel. j10t6*

I. X. L. EMPLOYMENT OFFICE FURNISHES male and female help at short notice. 966 I street. MRS. K. BRUCE and C. FEUCHT. j1

WANTED—FOR RELIABLE MALE AND female help call on CUTHIRTH & LYON, Fresno Employment Agency, Ogle house. Telephone red 465. m20

DRESSMAKING

OPENED—SCHOOL FOR DRESS CUTTING; tailor system; terms reasonable. Mrs. M. A. CAMERON, 1402 K street. j5m1

FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING BY MRS. E. MURRAY at 1558 I street. j1

LOST

LOST—SEVERAL PROMISSORY NOTES; A reward will be given for their return to the postoffice. M. S. Cobb. j16tf

FOUND

FOUND—A POCKETBOOK. OWNER CALL at Alexander & Goodman's, pay charges and get the pocketbook. j16tf

FOUND—IN COURT HOUSE PARK, A PAIR of spectacles. Call at this office. j14-t2

FOUND—2 CARRIAGE DUSTERS. OWNER can have same by calling at this office and paying for advertisement. j10tf

FOUND—THE BEST FIVE AND TEN CENT cigars in Fresno at C. S. GREENBERG'S, 1923 Mariposa street, old Abstract building. m24

PASTURAGE

PASTURAGE AT COUNTY FARM REDUCED to $2 per month; no barbed wire. j14-m1

FIRST-CLASS PASTURAGE FOR $1.25 A month; running water and shade. 1940 Mariposa street. BEN BRESEE. a17tf

GOOD PASTURE AT FAIR GROUNDS. Apply to WILLIAM HELM. j28tf

TAKEN UP

TAKEN UP—ONE BROWN MARE, 10 OR 12 years old, left fore foot white, right hind foot white, star in forehead; one sorrel horse pony, left hind foot white, white spots on back and sides. Apply to Joseph De Camp, old butcher shop near Colony grocery. j16t3

MAMMOTH

Midsummer =:= Sale

OF

HIGH-GRADE SEASONABLE GOODS

Commencing Monday, June 15th,

We shall place before the people of Fresno

THE GRANDEST ARRAY OF GENUINE BARGAINS

It has ever been our good fortune to show you.

A Few of the Good Things.

DOMESTIC DRESS GOODS.

Best quality light colored Calicoes, fast colors, 3½c yard.

Indigo Blue Calicoes, best quality, fast colors, 4c yard.

Handsome Dress Challies, new spring patters, 4c yard.

Fancy White Dress Goods, new patterns, 3c yard.

Our fine imported White Dress Goods, were 12½c, 15c and 20c, price for this sale, 7½c yard.

LINENS.

Table Linen, good quality, 15c yard.

All Linen checked crash, worth 10c, for this sale, 5c yard.

Our entire stock of fine German and Irish Linens, all at greatly reduced prices.

SHEETINGS.

5-4 Bleached Sheeting, 8c yard.

9-4 Bleached Sheeting, good quality, 15c yard.

Fruit of the Loom, Bleached Muslin, 6½c yard.

Lonsdale Muslin, bleached, 8½c yard.

WOOL DRESS GOODS.

Double width, Black English Figured Mohairs, 18c yard.

A fine assortment of fine Figured Mohairs, al. at reduced figures.

WHITE QUILTS.

Good White Family Quilts, worth $1, for 60c each.

LACE CURTAINS.

Fine Lace Curtains, sold all over town at $1.25, for this sale, 75c a pair.

LADIES' UNDERWEAR.

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, low neck, sleeveless, worth 10c, for this sale, 4c each.

Ladies' Jersey Ribbed Vests, taped neck and sleeves, regular value 15c, 10c each.

Ladies' fine Jersey Ribbed Vests, taped neck and sleeves, worth 25c, for this sale, 15c each.

PARASOLS.

Ladies' Silk Carriage Parasols, regular price $1, now 50c.

Ladies' Ruffled Silk Carriage Parasols, worth $1.50, now $1.

Ladies' plain black Silk Parasols, 24-inch, strong silk and well made, regular value $1.50, for this sale 95c each.

Ladies' White Silk Parasols, regular value $2, for this sale, $1.25.

HOSIERY.

Ladies' Tan or Black Cotton Hose, full finish, a good 25c stocking, for 12½c a pair.

Boy's Black Cotton Hose, fine ribbed, extra strong, guaranteed fast black, size 6 to 9½, at 10c a pair.

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Ladies' Black Silk Gloves, with Kayser patent finger tips, regular price 75c, sale price, 45c a pair.

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Summer Corsets, extra long waisted, regular value 75c, sale price, 35c a pair.

SHIRT WAISTS.

A large assortment of Ladies' Waists in Sateens and Zephyrs, worth from $1 to $1.50, sale price, 25c.

Pongee Silk Waists, worth $3, sale price, 50c.

MILLINERY DEPARTMENT.

Our entire stock of Ladies' fine Trimmed Hats, for this sale, $1.50 each.

A lot of fine French flowers, were $1 and $1.50, for this sale at 20c.

Your choice of our stock of Untrimmed Hats, worth from 50c to $2.50c, for 15c each.

CLOTHING.

Men's fancy mixed Cassimere Suits, very neat and durable, both round and square cut Sacque Suits, worth $10, for this sale, $5 a suit.

Men's fine Tailor made suits, fancy Scotch mixtures, were, $12.50 a suit, for this sale, $8 a suit.

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MEN'S FURNISHING GOODS,

Men's soft finished Percale Shirts, with laundried collar and cuffs, sold all over town at $1, for this sale, 50c each.

Men's fine Balbriggan Underwear, in brown or gray; regular value $1 per suit, for this sale, 45c per suit of shirt and drawers.

SHOES.

Ladies' Oxford Ties, all styles, patent leather tips, Tan or Black, sold elsewhere at $1.25, for this sale, 75c a pair.

Ladies' fine Kid Oxford Ties, with patent leather tips, the latest lasts, our regular $2 shoe, for this sale, $1.20 a pair.

Men's fine Russia Calf Shoes, new needle and narrow square toes, were $3, for this sale, $2 a pair.

STATIONERY DEPARTMENT.

Paper-bound Novels by the best authors, regular price 25c, for this sale at 5c each.

Cloth-bound Books, standard publications by best authors, worth 50c; our price 15c.

Over 5000 different numbers of Sheet Music, vocal and instrumental, only 5c a copy.

Mennen's Borated Talcum Powder, sold all over town at 25c, our price 15c a box.

La Blache Face Powder, regular price 50c, our price 30c a box.

Dr. Stuart's celebrated Buttermilk and Cucumber Soap, sold all over town at 25 per box, for this sale 15c per box of three cakes.

Be sure and visit our Great Midsummer Sale. IT WILL BE MONEY IN YOUR POCKET. Sale commences Monday, June 15th.

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Regular Price.	DO YOU WANT THEM?	Dissolution Price.
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$1.75.	Ladies' Tan Kid Ties, turn soles, narrow square toe, widths A to EE.	$1.05.
$2.25.	Ladies' Tan Combination Ties, turn soles, needle toe.	$1.35.
$2.25.	Ladies' Tan Combination Ties, turn soles, narrow square toe.	$1.35.
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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

The city assessor gives notice that all property not listed by June 16, 1896, will be assessed arbitrarily, as the assessment roll has to be completed by July 1st. All are requested to be prompt and save extra expense. Those not receiving assessment lists can find the same at his office at the city hall.

J. M. COLLINS, City Assessor.

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CAN THE DEMOCRACY BE TRUSTED?

Before this week is past the Democrats of California will have formulated and adopted a platform. Among its planks will be one favoring the free coinage of silver, and in this respect it will be similar to the platforms of every political party in the state. California is practically a unit on the financial question. In a few weeks the Democracy of the nation also will issue its platform of principles, and, if all signs do not mislead, it, too, will declare in favor of the free coinage of silver. Its demand and its claims will be closely inspected by the people of the West.

It will be a curious demand, as coming from the Democracy, this for free coinage and bimetallism. If that party really is in favor of the white metal, the question inevitably arises, Why is silver not being coined free of mintage charge at the present time? The Democrats have had every opportunity of carrying their will into effect, and still silver is a dishonored metal. A little more than three and one-fourth years ago a Democratic President took his seat in the White House. The platform on which he was elected favored "the use of both gold and silver as the standard money of the country" and also "the coinage of both gold and silver without discrimination against either metal or a charge for mintage." The man who was elected to the Presidency on that platform immediately, through his secretary of the treasury, began a process of jewing down the price of silver, to that end utterly defying law. His party declared against "discrimination against either metal," and he violated the statutes in order to discriminate. This was the Democracy's attitude on the financial question, as it was interpreted by its President.

But it may be said that Mr. Cleveland misrepresented his party. The party may justly be held responsible for the acts of the President it selected, but let it for the moment evade that responsibility. What remains? At the time that Cleveland was elected, an overwhelmingly Democratic congress also was chosen by the people. What did it do to secure the "coinage of both gold and silver without discrimination against either metal or a charge for mintage?" It repealed the one apology for free coinage then in existence, viz: the Sherman law, and it did nothing else. Its inaction was, and was intended to be, a triumph for goldbugism.

If the President misrepresented his party, are we to be asked to believe that the Democratic congress also did so? And if this is the case, what guarantee can the people have that another Democratic President and congress would not do a similar thing? Judged by its recent record, the party is in favor of the single gold standard, or, if it is not, it has not the moral force to insist that its servants do its bidding.

It is under such circumstances that the party probably will go before the country, pledging itself to the free coinage of silver. With its Grover Cleveland still in the presidential chair, with its Democratic congress hardly more than relegated to oblivion and with its single gold standard triumphant in the nation, it presumably will have the effrontery to lift its voice in favor of bimetallism. Even while it still lingers in the balance in which it has been found wanting, it will lift its voice in a clamorous demand again to be weighed. Responding, the people will say: Gentlemen of the Democracy, it is unnecessary again to try you while we need but look at the balance in order to see exactly how light of weight you are. The record is made, and it is inconceivable that the people will give the party a chance to make it over again.

After the Democracy has declared for free coinage of silver its record will abide against it, declaring to the world that its words and its deeds are at variance, and by the latter it will be judged. The people are accustomed to judge men or parties by their actions, and this case will not be an exception to the rule.

A SMALL number of property owners who imagine they see in the coming of the Valley road an opportunity to sell their property to the right of way committee at a much higher price than they could hope to get from anyone else, are likely to be disappointed, if the result of condemnation suits in the counties north of Fresno can be taken as an indication of public sentiment in regard to the policy of obstructing for profit. Two cases of this kind were concluded in Merced yesterday, in which property owners demanded a total of $17,650 for the land required by the railroad. They were awarded $1,827.50. The policy of the Fresno committee has been to pay all that the property is actually worth, when required by the owner, and it is not probable that a jury of citizens will be found to do more than that. To the contrary, those who are willing to accept a fair offer or submit to arbitration, are likely to fare better than those who insist upon litigation and the expenses which accrue under that method.

THE refusal of the Board of Education of Fresno to retain Professor Heaton as school superintendent has raised a protest. The reason is said to be that Heaton is a Democrat and the board is Republican.—*Hanford Democrat.*

It is time that this preposterous falsehood were finally corrected. So far as the majority of the board is concerned its political complexion is the same as that of Professor Heaton. Three members of the board are Democrats, one is a Republican and one a Populist. The charge of partisanship is therefore false upon its face. The members who have voted against retaining the present principal have not seen fit to publicly state the reasons that have actuated them, but that political partisanship has nothing to do with the matter is evident to every person who knows what the political affiliations of the members are.

DEMOCRATIC success in the past has been solely on principle and not on bait for support. That, and that alone, explains the inextinguished vitality of the party under the most hopeless circumstances, and in the presence of repeated defeats.—*San Francisco Examiner.*

An illustration of this claim is found, we suppose, in the financial plank of the last Democratic national convention, which declared for the coinage of both gold and silver without discrimination against either metal? That, of course, was not a bait to catch the silver vote. It was a solemn declaration of principle which the administration carried out with the zeal and faithfulness characteristic of the party which owes its existence to faithful adherence to principle!

IF the fruit raisers of this valley are not offered a fair price for their fruit for canning purposes, they can dry it, with the prospect of getting better returns than they have received for two or three years past. Information is abundant and reliable that the fruit crop of the state, excepting pears, will be short, and that the market will be materially affected by the shortage cannot be doubted.

IN securing John J. Ingalls as a special contributor from the St. Louis convention, the *Examiner* made a brilliant stroke of enterprise. Mr. Ingalls is one of the most clear and forcible, as well as one of the most graceful writers in the United States.

FOR a man who has made so much noise, Boss Platt appears to be doing a mighty slim business in the St. Louis convention. A political leader who cannot control his own state delegation would look better if his gall were a little less in evidence.

WE thought all along that something would be lacking in the Democratic state convention, and now we know what it is. It is a clear case of neglect not to have engaged the services of Corbett and Sharkey.

RANDOM REMARKS.

"Lucky" Baldwin may have led Lillian Ashley astray, as she alleges, but it daily is becoming more evident that some of the scenery along the route must have looked mighty familiar to her. Baldwin is a great scoundrel, but two of them met in that case.

M. H. De Young may never secure the vice presidency, but if he keeps right on asking for it—and he will—there is no knowing what may not happen. It was a wise small boy who said he had noticed that if he teased long enough for cake he was apt to get it. And De Young knows how to ask.

It is announced that Cleveland, Reed and Carlisle will form a partnership shortly after the fourth day of next March, to do a law business. The firm may or may not do a very good law business, but, Immortal Cæsar! how it will do politics if ever it casts its glittering eyes in that direction. Clients will just fall over presidential timber when they enter the office of that firm.

Lord Dudley, of England, recently has been sued by his castoff mistress for breach of promise of marriage. Here is a splendid opportunity to be shocked by the immorality of the British titled aristocracy. It is a golden chance to proclaim the superior virtue of Republican institutions. Still, the writer is not doing much of such proclaiming just at present. He intended to do so, but happened to think of a few things and changed his mind. He thought, for instance, of the Coleman Draytons advertising their domestic filth around the world; of Vanderbilts, male and female, half revealing their offensive family skeleton and then half covering it again; of multi-millionheiresses shamelessly buying foreign titles, exchanging therefor themselves and sundry millions acquired in pork or oil or stocks. The writer thought of these and other things, and a great mumness concerning titled aristocracy fell upon him. On the whole, it may be that an aristocracy by accident of birth is preferable to a plutocracy. It sometimes reaches higher, and it only occasionally stoops as low. Some other day, brethren, we will proclaim the superior virtue of republican institutions.

"My boy, if ever you find yourself day dreaming stop it short and go to planning. Day dreaming is a habit that grows with indulgence. Do not indulge it."—*Tulare Register.*

That is very genuine advice, my boy, but I think that it is very genuinely mistaken. To the contrary, I would say, Day dream all that you may, so that you see well to it that you do not permit it to interfere with that daily labor which is so essential to the maintenance of life and the building up of character. We are too apt to become nothing more than animated machines. We treat ourselves too much as if the end of living were a little gold or a little glory. If we are not careful, we move in a rut of routine and see nothing beyond its clay walls. Do your work and do it well, for a loafer gathers no fruit in the orchard of life, but brighten and gladden that work by holding close in your heart your day dreams. Suppose that the thing dreamed of is unattainable, what then? You have been cheered in dreaming it, have you not! For a time you have been lifted above the dead level of machine existence. And so the dream has paid for itself, though it dies with the dreaming. The man in a factory or in a mine, if his monotonous life is without its day dreams, what is he more than a horse which is driven back and forth on its daily work? Better an unattainable day dream than this very common fool's dream that yellow clay is the great object of living. Do your work faithfully and well, my boy, and beyond that, day dream all that you please. So doing, you will not degenerate into a machine.

A.J.W.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

The following real estate transfers were recorded yesterday:

James R Shent and wife to William Robertson, se¼, sec 9, t 21; nw¼, sec 2, and nw¼, sec 16, t 16, r 21; $10.

David Kittleman to Rebecca S Kittleman, ½ interest in w½ of sw¼, sec 24, t 22, r 16; $19.

Members of Vineland Lodge No. 67, K. of P.

All members of Vineland Lodge, resident and visiting Knights are cordially invited to attend the conferring of second degree at Castle hall, Spinney building, on Wednesday evening, June 17th, at 8 o'clock. J. L. DOYLE, C. C.
J. F. MAYNE, K. of R. and S.

B. B. O. P. G.

There is no mystery or secret about the above letters. They simply mean that you can get the best beer at the Old Palm Garden.

Great sample Oxford Tie sale at the Philadelphia Shoe Store—Ladies' fine Oxford Ties in black or tan sold at half price. Come and get some of these bargains before they are all gone.

For sale cheap for one week only—a lady's wheel in good order at 1015 Mariposa street.

A. M. Drew, attorney, has removed to Temple Bar building, K and Mariposa streets.

FOWLER CO-OPERATIVES.

An Enthusiastic Meeting and New Association Formed.

From the Fowler Ensign.

The most enthusiastic meeting of any kind ever held in Fowler was held at Good Templars' hall yesterday afternoon. In its nature it resembled a regular old fashioned Methodist revival meeting; one of the kind everybody has heard about but few have ever witnessed. Strange as it may seem all this enthusiasm was manifested at a raisin meeting and stranger still it took place in Fowler.

The meeting was held under the auspices of the Co-operative Packers' Association. They had a speaker who got up and exhorted the people and told them of their transgressions; then followed a sort of experience meeting and a half dozen or more of the co-operative raisin growers got up and testified. They told the people how happy they would be if they would only come into the fold; then the speaker got up and asked all, who felt a change of heart, to come forward and sign articles of the association; a notary public was called for to swear them in, and in fifteen minutes the Fowler Co-operative Packers' Association was formed with a membership of twenty-three.

The speaker, F. H. B. Chamblin of Riverside, was introduced at 3 o'clock, and, in spite of the almost stifling heat, held the rapt attention of his auditors for an hour and a quarter. Mr. Chamblin has been an orange grower in Southern California for sixteen years, and was one of a little company of seven to organize the first co-operative orange growers' packing association in California, and has worked in the interests of co-operation ever since.

Penalty Too Light.

From the Tulare Register.

James Holmes, William Starr, E. G. Waltz, E. Dunn, W. Dowling and Walter McCoy of San Francisco, were sentenced on Saturday to one year each in San Quentin. These men were active "workers" in the building strikes last March, and they beat to death a man named C. A. Moss because he insisted upon his rights to use his own time as he thought best. He chose to work and this mob of ruffians proceeded, in the name of labor, to beat a workman to death. It was a brutal crime without cause or justification, and evinced as little regard for the common rights of humanity as any possible combination of capitalists or plutocrats could show. One year in prison is the punishment, a penalty altogether inadequate.

A Good Thing, Push It Along.

From the Fowler Ensign.

The matter of holding a district fair in Fresno, commencing December 15th, is being agitated by the Chamber of Commerce. It is proposed to ask the adjoining counties to join Fresno and make it a grand affair. This is a splendid proposition and it should meet with the approval and hearty co-operation of all persons interested in seeing our valley brought to the front and of having it recognized by the world as occupying the important position it, by right of its superlative resources should occupy.

CURIOUS MARRIAGE CUSTOMS.

Among Dwarfs of Andaman Island Contracting Parties Climb a Tree.

Some of the customs peculiar to courtship and marriage among the race of dwarfs who inhabit the Andaman island are, according to M. de Quatrefages, who recently published a book called "The Pygmies" about these people, very peculiar. Not the least remarkable of them is the procedure of courtship. The young man who has made his choice addresses himself to the parents, who never refuse, but send the girl into the forest, where, before day, she conceals herself. The young man must find her.

If he does not succeed, he must renounce all claim to her. The wedding ceremony of these people is equally curious. M. Quatrefages thus describes it: "The two parties climb two flexible trees growing near each other, which an old man then makes to bend toward each other. When the head of the man touches the head of the girl, they are legally married."

Turning from Asia to Europe, we find a very curious custom prevailing in Roumania. Among the peasantry of this country, when a girl attains a marriageable age her trousseau, which has in the meanwhile been carefully woven, spun and embroidered by her mother and herself, is placed in a painted wooden box.

When a young man thinks of asking to be allowed to pay his attentions to the girl he is at liberty first to open the box, which is always placed in a convenient position, and examine the trousseau. If he is satisfied with the quantity and quality of the dowry, he makes formal application for the girl's hand, but if not he is quite at liberty to retire.

An Army Reminiscence.

"Speaking of cures for insomnia," said an old soldier, "makes me think of our starting out one morning at 7 o'clock, marching 20 miles, and meeting the enemy at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and fighting till 6, and then marching back to where we started from, getting there at 3 o'clock in the morning.

"Some of the men left in camp had made a fire to cook their coffee by and had kept it going through the evening. It was now a big bed of red coals, with an occasional flicker of flame going up from the charred end of a half burned stick. It was a chilly night, and I thought I'd sit down on a log that there was alongside the fire for a few minutes and get warm a little before turning in. The next thing I knew it was 6 o'clock. I had gone to sleep the minute I sat down and had fallen off the log without waking up.

"Now if, as sometimes happens, I find myself inclined to lie awake nights, I just think of the comfort of my present bed as compared with that by the log, and that is enough."—New York Sun.

He Wants a Change.

Mrs. De Lisle had been to the hairdresser. "I see that pompadour rolls are coming in again," she remarked to Mr. De Lisle the next morning at breakfast.

"Thank heaven for that!" retorted her husband. "Do get the recipe for our cook, for the rolls she gives us now are regular jaw breakers!"—Detroit Free Press.

Train Noises.

A method of preventing the noise made by trains when passing over iron bridges has been devised by a German engineer named Boedecker, locality not stated. He puts a decking of 1½ inch planks between the cross girders, resting on three inch timbers laid on the bottom flanges, while on the planks a double layer of felt is placed, fixed to the vertical web of the cross girder. At the connections with the girder a timber cover joint is put on felt, and two hooked bolts connect the whole firmly to the bottom flange. Four inches of slag gravel cover the decking, which is inclined toward the center of the bridge for drainage purposes, and a layer of felt is laid between the planks and the timbers upon which they rest, and the ironwork in contact with decking and ballast is asphalted. The decking weighs 600 pounds per yard for a bridge 11 feet wide and costs 23 cents a square foot.

To the Public.

Having secured the agency for the Pease piano, distinguished by both its excellent qualities and wonderful durability, I am now prepared to fill orders for the same. To introduce the instrument I herewith offer the first one, medium size, rosewood case, for the very low sum of $225, cash. Regular price $300. A sample of the Pease piano can be inspected at our ranch, lot 7, Scandinavian Colony.

RUDOLPH LEONHART, SR.

Special Sale.

On Tuesday, June 16th, 2500 yards of fine Parkhill Zephyr Ginghams, sold elsewhere at 15 cents, for this day only at 6 cents per yard at Kutner-Goldstein Co.'s, the Universal Providers. Sale commences at 9 a. m.

Sanitary plumbing under our personal supervision. Barrett-Hicks Co.

Dr. A. G. Deardorff, No. 14 Grant avenue, San Francisco.

Fred Henry and J. L. Gilbert, paper hangers and house painters, with Frank Fiester, Fresno street, opposite Barton opera house.

Dr. R. Anna Schermerhorn, homeopathic and water-cure physician, 1007 N street.

Stearns Bicycle good enough for me.

New England Market

Is the place to get fine, tender, juicy steaks, chops, roasts, etc.; also ham, bacon, pickled pigs' feet and tripe. Prices the lowest.

Warnekros sells '96 Barnes, the white flyer.

For Over Fifty Years

MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for Diarrhœa. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

For first-class plumbing, tin or iron work go to F. A. Foin & Son's, very reasonable charges, Fresno street.

Genuine granite ware direct from St. Louis; no trash; no humbug; at Barrett-Hicks Co.'s.

Will Have a Cannery.

From the Tulare Register.

Visalia is to have a cannery after much talk and nothing done in all the towns of Tulare county for years past. In this particular case no long pile of dollars in the way of a bonus was necessary. The Sacramento Packing and Drying Company agreed to put in canning works upon a guarantee of 1500 tons of fruit. This guarantee was secured within a few hours' canvass among fruit growers—thus proving that one day at work is worth more than a year of talk.

The benefit to be derived scarcely needs enumeration. A local market for 1500 tons of fruit is something of a gain, taking that much from the uncertainty of drying. A good deal of home labor will find employment, a local brand will become established, and there is an open field for the business to grow. The more ways a district has for marketing its fruit the better it is off.

A Wise Woman.

From Womankind.

I study advertisements and I know where and when and how to purchase the household supplies. My husband used to laugh at me for reading advertisements so carefully, but he has long since learned that I save many dollars every month. I know of no better way to practice economy. It is a wonder how soon you learn to detect the real from the false—intuitively almost. I think I have never been taken in by an advertisement. There is always something about the false ones that repels me. To the economical housekeeper the advertisements are the most important part of any publication.

A Midsummer BARGAIN.

What is usually done a month later, we announce to our friends today, so they may obtain at the very outset of the heated term the most desirable and stylish

Wash Dress Goods

AT A GREAT CUT PRICE.

—WE OFFER AT A—

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—ON—

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17th,

At 10c Yard

Our two very best lines of

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They were sold up to this time at 20c a yard, but we cut this price in two and offer them

At 10c Yard.

This is THE Chance of the Season.

Louis Einstein & Co.

General Department Stores.

Creditors' Sale

Having purchased from the creditors of Mr. C. CHISHOLM for 43 cents on the dollar the entire stock of

Men's Furnishing Goods

MEN'S HATS,

Cloths for Suitings, Etc.,

I will sell the same at prices that will surprise you in cheapness. Everything must go in twenty days.

Sale Commences Today (Saturday) at 9 a. m.

Parties who had ordered suits from Mr. Chisholm to be called, may get them now at a great reduction.
Show Cases, Fixtures and Safe for sale.
SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS TO DEALERS.

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Patterns Nos. 5 and 6, from $50 to $45.
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Delinquent Notice.

Paragon Vineyard Company; location of principal place of business, room 16, 7th floor, Mills Building, San Francisco, California; location of property, Fresno county, California.

NOTICE—THERE ARE DELINQUENT UPON the following described stock on account of assessment No. 1, levied on the 13th day of April, 1896, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names	No. Cert.	No. Sh'rs.	Amt.
Robt. Husband	6	1	$ 1 10
Jas. E. Higgins, trustee	8	373	410 30
Robt. Husband	9	249	273 90

And in accordance with law, and on order of the Board of Directors, made on the 13th day of April, 1896, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction at the office of the company, room 16, 7th floor, Mills building, San Francisco, California, on Monday, the 8th day of June, 1896, at the hour of 1 o'clock p.m. of said day, to pay delinquent assessments thereon, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale.

JAS. E. HIGGINS, Secretary.
Office, room 16, 7th floor, Mills building, San Francisco, California. m20

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FIRST NATIONAL BANK, FRESNO, CAL

OLDEST BANK IN FRESNO COUNTY.

ESTABLISHED 1882

Paid Up Capital..........................$100,00
Surplus:.......................................150,000

O. J. Woodward..........................President
M. Kennedy..........................Vice President
R. A. Walrond...................................Cash.

This bank transacts a general banking and exchange business, issues letters of credit, draws direct on China and all the principal cities of the United States and Europe.

DIRECTORS:
J. Vogel, T. C. White, C. L. Walter, M. Kennedy, O. J. Woodward.

BANK COMMISSIONERS' REPORT

Showing the Financial Condition of

THE FARMERS' BANK OF FRESNO

At the close of business on March 23d, 1896.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and Discounts	$323,816 01
Bank Premises, Furniture and Fixtures	65,000 00
Real Estate	54,859 53
County Warrants	7 40
Cash on Hand	27,684 36
Due from Banks	16,677 81
Other Assets	826 00
Total Resources	$463,871 01
LIABILITIES.	
Capital Stock Paid up	$200,000 00
Reserve Fund	10,000 00
Undivided Profits	9,296 21
Due Depositors	229,789 49
Due Banks	14,787 91
Total Liabilities	$463,871 61

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Opposite the Postoffice.

Paid up capital..........................$250,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits..........$8,000.00

JOHN MCMULLIN, President.
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C. ALLISON TELFER

DIRECTORS.

F. D. Vanderlip, D. A. Reed,
E. D. Chaddock, F. P. Wickersham,
John D. Gray, John McMullin,
Arch A. Smith.

PEOPLE'S SAVINGS BANK OF FRESNO
Hughes Block, Fresno, Cal.

Capital..$100,000
Dr. C. Rowell....................................President
F. K. Prescott.............................Vice President
A. V. Lisenby..Cashier

This bank does a savings business exclusively; paying interest on both term and ordinary deposits. Money loaned on real estate security only.
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Capital Stock..................................$300,000
Paid Up..210,000

Louis Einstein...................................President
Wm Helm.....................................Vice President
Leopold Gundelfinger.............................Cashier

DIRECTORS.

Louis Einstein, William Helm, Leopold Gundelfinger, H. D. Cholles, Max Frankenau.

This bank transacts a general banking and exchange business, issues letters of credit and draws direct on over 600 correspondents in all the principal cities of the world.

Special attention paid to collection of claims and inheritances in all parts of Europe and America; also in parts of Asia, Africa and Australia by power of attorney.

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Notice of Special Meeting of Stockholders.

Kings River and Fresno Canal Company, Centerville, Fresno county, California.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the above company will be held in the town of Centerville, county of Fresno, state of California, on the 16th day of June, 1896, at the hour of 12 o'clock m. of that day.

Said meeting is called for the purpose of amending the by-laws of said corporation, and of adopting new and amended by-laws therefor, and for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors, or filling any vacancies that may then exist in the Board of Directors of said corporation, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Every stockholder is requested to be present in person or by proxy.

By request of and order of the Board of Directors and the President and Secretary.

W. H. INGELS,
m14 Secretary of said Corporation.

Notice to Creditors.

In the matter of the estate of Minnie M. Stebbins, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, executor of the last will and testament of Minnie M. Stebbins, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor, at the office of Harris & Hubbard, First National Bank building, city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, said office being the place of business for said estate.

Dated May 12th, 1896.

THOMAS L. HEATON,
Executor of the last will and testament of Minnie M. Stebbins, deceased.
Harris & Hubbard, attorneys for executor.
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School Site Wanted.

THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY of Fresno School District will receive proposals to convey to this district a site for a ward school on the southwest side of the Southern Pacific railroad, within four blocks of the Russian church, the site to consist of not less than four nor more than eight lots and to include a corner lot; vendor to furnish an abstract of title.

Proposals to be in the hands of the secretary of this board by 7.30 p. m. on Tuesday, July 7, 1896.

Right to reject any or all bids reserved.

G. P. CUMMINGS,
j13td Secretary of the Board of Education.

Election Notice—School Tax.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE qualified electors of Horace Mann School District, County of Fresno, State of California, that an election will be held on the 20th day of June, A. D. 1896, at which will be submitted the question of voting a tax to build a school house and furnish the same.

It will be necessary to raise for this purpose the sum of $100.0.

The polls will be open at the old Burket house, Kelsey vineyard, from 1 o'clock p.m. until 6 o'clock p.m. in said school district.

The judges appointed to conduct the election are: Giles N. Freman, inspector; A. P. Wallace, I. S. Jackson, judges.

A. MATTEI,
R. E. OLIVER,
S. BARR,
j7td District School Trustees

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—AND—

Hotelkeepers

THIS WEEK

In our House Furnishing Goods Department, as the ax falls heavy in real good reliable staple stuff:

Lace Curtains, worth $1, this week 75c pair.

Lace Curtains, worth $1.50, this week $1 pair.

Lace Curtains, worth $2, this week $1.25 pair.

Family Towels, this week 5c.

Extra size Family Towels, this week 10c.

Extra large all linen Huck Towels, this week 12½c.

20x40 extra large all linen Damask Towels, 18¾c.

Full bleached Crash, 5c.

Extra heavy brown all linen Crash, 8⅓c.

64-inch bleached Table Damask, 19c.

60-inch half-bleached German Table Linen, worth 75c, this week 40c.

Turkey Red Table Damask, regular 25c, quality this week 18c.

Shirtings at mill prices:

5-4 bleached, regular price 15c, this week 11c.

6-4 bleached, regular price 16½c, this week 13c.

8-4 bleached, regular price 22c, this week 18c.

9-4 bleached, regular price 25c, this week 20c.

10-4 bleached, regular price 26c, this week 22c.

In our yard-wide bleached and unbleached Muslin we will give you more yards to the dollar than any other house in town.

And hundreds of other special items, our space not permitting to mention.

Our special low prices in Parasols will remain one more week.

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Sheriff's Sale.

No. 7163.

Superior court of the county of Fresno.

Order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale.

Forrest S. Rowley, plaintiff, vs. Lavernia Spect and N. K. Spect, defendants.

UNDER AND BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER of sale, and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior court of the county of Fresno, of state of California, on the 5th day of June, A.D. 1896, in the above entitled action, wherein Forrest S. Rowley, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Lavernia Spect and N. K. Spect, defendants, on the 5th day of June, A.D. 1896, for the sum of $334.40, in lawful money of the United States, besides interest, which said decree was, on the 5th day of June, A. D., 1896, recorded in decree book, volume 9, of said court, at page 56, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in County of Fresno, state of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

The north one-half of the southeast one-fourth of the northwest one-fourth of section 10, township 14, range 17 East, Mount Diablo base and meridian, containing twenty acres, more or less, according to government survey, together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Public notice is hereby given that on the 11th day of July, A.D. 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m. of that day, in front of the court house door of the county of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale, and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for lawful money of the United States.

Dated Fresno, Cal., June 11th, 1896.

JAY SCOTT, Sheriff.
By L. A. SPENCER, Under Sheriff.
Cobb and Loefler, attorneys for plaintiff. j11

Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT UNDER and by virtue of a decree of foreclosure and order of sale made and entered in the superior court, of the county of Fresno, state of California, on June 2d, 1896, in an action numbered 7184 in said court, wherein W. D. Bowen is plaintiff and John K. Albin, Hattie Albin, R. Reuben and P. R. Reuben, co-partners, doing business under the firm name and style of Reuben & Son, are defendants, in favor of said plaintiff and against said defendants for the sum of $12 costs, $120 attorneys fees, and $1350 principal and interest, with interest thereon from date of said decree at 7 per cent per annum, and the order of sale therein.

I will sell in front of the door of the county court house, in the city of Fresno, in said Fresno county, at 12 o'clock m., on Friday, the 26th day of June, 1896, in one parcel, for cash, lawful money of the United States, to the highest and best bidder, the following described property, to-wit: Situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, bounded and particularly described as follows, to-wit: Lots one and two in block No. one hundred and thirty-six, in the city of Fresno, according to the official map of said town (now city) of Fresno on file and of record in the office of the County Recorder of said Fresno county.

E. T. WOLCOTT, Commissioner.
W. D. CRICHTON, Attorney for Plaintiff.
Dated, June 3, 1896. j4

Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior court, county of Fresno, state of California.

The California Savings and Loan Society, a corporation, plaintiff vs. W. S. Sanders, Caroline Sanders, his wife, Joseph Brownstone, Charles Weston and the Brownstone Company, a corporation, defendants.

WHEREAS AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 25th day of May, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 18th day of May, 1895, in favor of said The California Savings and Loan Society, a corporation, plaintiff and against W. S. Sanders, Caroline Sanders, his wife, Joseph Brownstone, Charles Weston and the Brownstone Company, a corporation, defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 9 of the said Superior court, on page 50 et seq, for the sum of four thousand twenty-four and 08-100 dollars in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of seven per cent per annum from the date of said judgment and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 20th day of June, 1896 at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the door of the court house, in Fresno county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows: Situate, lying and being in said county of Fresno, state of California, viz.:

The east half of the southwest quarter of section five, township fifteen south, of range twenty-two east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated Fresno, May 26th, 1896.

O. SCRIBNER, Commissioner.
J. F. Cowdery, attorney for plaintiff. m27

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Finest rooms in the city. A first-class family hotel. Rates, $1 and $1.25 per day. Board and lodging, $6 and $7 per week. Special rates to families. Meals, 25 cents. Free 'bus to and from all trains. AL BAKER, Prop.

THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN.

Additional Local on Pages 1 and 4.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY

TRAINS LEAVE FRESNO AS FOLLOWS:
Commencing April 22, 1896.

12:52 A.M.—NEW ORLEANS EXPRESS—Daily for Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, San Bernardino and Riverside, and east via El Paso and New Orleans.

2:50 A.M.—EXPRESS—Daily. For Collis, Mendota, Newman, San Francisco, Sacramento, Ogden and East.

4:50 A.M.—EXPRESS (via Martinez)—Daily. For Berenda (Raymond for Yosemite) Merced, San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland, Ogden and East.

8:30 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Monday, Wednesday and Friday only. For Porterville and way stations. Porterville to Famoso on Wednesday only.

9:35 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily. For Fowler, Selma, Kingsburg, Goshen Junction, connecting at Goshen Junction with mixed train for Hanford, Armona, Tulare, Bakersfield and all way stations.

9:00 A.M.—SAN FRANCISCO EXPRESS—Daily via Merced and Lathrop; connects at Berenda for Raymond (Yosemite), at Lathrop for Stockton, Sacramento and the East via Ogden and Portland.

9:00 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday, For Lathrop and all way stations.

9:30 A.M.—MIXED TRAIN—Daily except Sunday. For Pollasky and all way stations. Arrives at Fresno returning at 1.10 p.m.

5:30 P.M.—PASSENGER TRAIN—Daily. For Sanger Junction, Reedley, Porterville and way stations.

6:50 P.M.—LOS ANGELES EXPRESS—Daily. For Los Angeles and intermediate points.

RICH GRAY, Gen. Traffic Manager.
T. H. GOODMAN, Gen. Pass. Agent.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

FRESNO, June 16.—Observations taken at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

Barometer	29.83
Temperature	104
Sensible Temperature	67
Humidity, per cent	12
Wind, NW (miles per hour)	15
Maximum Temperature for past 24 hours	104
Minimum Temperature for past 24 hours	73
Total Rainfall past 36 hours, inches	00
Total Rainfall for season, inches	8.20

Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—Official forecast for thirty-six hours, ending at 5 p.m. June 17.—Northern California — Cloudy weather along the coast; fair; warm Wednesday inland; light northwesterly winds.

Southern California—Fair Wednesday; continued warm weather inland; light westerly winds.

TEN DOLLARS REWARD.

The above reward will be paid for the arrest and conviction of parties caught stealing or defacing REPUBLICAN boxes which are placed in front of the residences of colony subscribers.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Stone jugs, jars,
Churns, etc., at
Holland & Holland's.

Tandem bicycles to rent at R. G. Barton's.

Go to Howland & Faris for your apricots for canning.

Two degrees cooler yesterday, only 104 in the shade.

Currants, cherries and gooseberries at Schuttler & Co.'s.

Fiester, sign painter, Fresno street, opposite Barton opera house.

Dr. Miner, Garibaldi block, Eye, ear, nose and throat. Glasses fitted.

Naher, the jeweler, has removed to 1921 Mariposa street, between J and K streets.

This office acknowledges the receipt of a box of early peaches from B. H. Hoag of Central colony.

Automatic Bicycle Powder will instantly stop punctures in pneumatic tires. R. M. Thompson.

Thomas Hillis, a well known and wealthy citizen of this county, died yesterday at the Hughes hotel. Death was due to paralysis.

Francis F. Humphreys died Monday night at his home on Kings river. He was 45 years of age and for two years had been partly paralyzed.

For $2.75 you can get both the WEEKLY REPUBLICAN and the *Interior* (Fresno's illustrated monthly) for one year. Send orders to REPUBLICAN office.

A fire somewhere north of the city was the occasion of calling out the chemical engine last night. It did not proceed beyond the city limits.

Dr. L. H. Coe, formerly of San Francisco, has located in Fresno, and has formed a partnership for the practice of medicine and surgery with Dr. M. J. Gates.

The Labor Exchange is contemplating the manufacture of brick on the co-operative labor plan. The proposition is for laborers to devote their spare time to the work and divide the proceeds.

Special meeting of Trigo Chapter No. 69, R.A.M., tonight for the purpose of conferring the royal arch degree. Sojourning companions cordially invited to attend. By order of the high priest. G. O. Grimes, Secretary.

Contractors, carpenters and brickmasons, please call at Grand Central hotel office at 12 o'clock June 17th to estimate on building large winery, distillery and living houses near Fresno for the California Wine Association. Plans and specifications furnished.

J. G. Ramer, who was given a beating by Thomas Norris on the street a few days ago for sending insulting letters to a sister in-law of Norris, is still confined to his room on account of his injuries. The cases against him and the case against Norris in the justices' courts are in statu quo on his account.

News was yesterday received in this city that the condemnation suits brought at Merced by the Valley road against Joseph King and Nettie Price were decided by juries and the verdicts were favorable to the Valley road. King asked $14,000 and was awarded $1254 and Mrs. Price asked $3152 and got $573.50.

Swan Fountain Pens

Are the best, at O. H. Riege's.

C. S. Pierce sells trays and all kinds of boxes at his lumber yard, Mariposa and Front streets.

Pianos.

Pianos at low prices is no new thing in Fresno. The Kohler & Chase Music House is offering pianos of medium size, rosewood or mahogany cases, brand new and fully warranted for five (5) years, at $215 cash. We are here to back up any guarantee, and are pleased to show our goods. Drop in and see us at 1046 J street. Kohler & Chase Music House (John A. Neu).

Great bargain—one new Domestic Sewing Machine can be bought this week for $35 at A. U. Warnekros, 1915 Mariposa street.

See our blue flame oil stoves; no dirt, no odor; the same flame as produced by gasoline or coal gas; something new and novel at Barrett-Hicks Co.'s.

Burial of Max Heckman.

A number of German citizens of this city contributed $100 and forwarded it to Chicago through the First National Bank, and it will be used to give a proper burial to Max Heckman, formerly of this county, who last week committed suicide in Chicago. The money saved the old man from the potter's field.

3 DAY Malaria Cure.

Positively cures Malaria, Chills and Fevers in

THREE DAYS.

Two or three doses relieve aching bones and tired feeling. Price, 75 cents. For sale by

GEO. H. MONROE, Druggist,
1924 Mariposa Street

WOMAN SUFFRAGE.

Pithy Interviews With Well Known Citizens.

OPINIONS DIFFER GREATLY

But the Women Seem to Have Every Prospect of Success.

The fact that Fresno county's delegation to the state Democratic convention at Sacramento represented thirteen votes to be cast as a unit against the woman suffrage amendment to be voted on in November, has caused the REPUBLICAN to believe that it would be interesting to know what is the general sentiment in Fresno on this question. By way of gaining an idea on this matter a reporter was detailed to gather the views of citizens as he met them on the street, irrespective of political, religious or other affiliations. The interviews were limited to men, because men alone will vote on the momentous question.

Not the slightest partiality was shown in the investigation. It would have been easy, by a process of selection, to have made all the interviewed parties favorable or unfavorable to woman suffrage; but nothing of the kind was done. The reporter "stood up" his victims just as they came and propounded these questions:

"Will you vote for or against woman suffrage in November, and for what reason?"

The following were the answers received. Two points are interesting: First, that reasons were given; whereas woman suffrage speakers heard here of late have contended that they just wanted to hear a man give a reason. Secondly, many of the men who were expected to declare against woman suffrage pronounced unreservedly in favor of it. One of these was a saloon keeper.

Postmaster Hedrick was the first person asked and said he had never given the matter serious thought. He was one of about a dozen who gave the same answer, and were passed. The following were much more definite:

G. C. Grimes, insurance agent—I have always been opposed to woman suffrage, but when I think how women are liable to taxation and subpenaes I think I shall vote for them after all.

City Trustee Austin—I am radically opposed to women voting. I don't believe any good home-loving women want it. I know my wife don't.

A. V. Lisenby—I am in favor of woman suffrage. I think women should have a voice in the making of the laws that govern us all.

George E. Evans of Barrett Hicks & Co.—I have been a woman suffrage advocate for the last thirty years. Of course I shall vote for it.

Wick B. Parsons—I am in favor of a property qualification for all voters. This would let in men and women alike, but I would allow no person to vote who had not a little property, however small.

C. O. Lyons, a member of the spiritualist organization—I am in favor of woman suffrage by all means. Give the women the same privileges we take ourselves.

Pat Monaghan, saloon keeper—Give the women the suffrage. They ought to have it.

Pierre LeBlanc, United States guager—No, decidedly not. Let the women stay at home, where they belong. The best women will stop at home of their own accord. I don't believe in women at the polls.

Walter D. Tupper, attorney-at-law—I am absolutely and unqualifiedly in favor of woman suffrage, but my wife and daughter do not agree with me.

George G. Goucher, attorney at law—I am in favor of woman suffrage.

Judge W. M. Conley, of Madera—I am just as strongly opposed to woman suffrage as my friend Tupper is in favor of it.

N. O. Coldwell, attorney at law—I am going to vote for woman suffrage because I believe it must come. It is manifest destiny.

Phil Scott, livery stable keeper—I think the women suffer enough without the suffrage. They will be better mothers, wives and sisters without it.

County Treasurer Whitson—I believe in woman suffrage and always did. Give them a vote!

F. Kauke, attorney-at-law—I am decidedly in favor of woman suffrage for a variety of reasons.

James Gallagher, attorney and member of the Board of Education: I shall not vote for woman suffrage till I am satisfied that the majority of women want it. My impression is that they do not.

County Recorder Machen—I pass!

Ex-County Assessor William Hutchinson—I pass!

Dante R. Prince—Excuse me, please!

J. A. Webster, druggist—I will vote for woman suffrage when women will accept the same responsibilities that men now have; not before.

T. A. Bell, ex-county recorder—I shall fight woman suffrage to the end. I believe women would lose power instead of gaining it by getting into politics.

Dr. W. T. Maupin—I am free to say that I am not in favor of woman suffrage.

B. H. Hoag, vineyardist—Give the women a vote. It is the very thing we want.

Ex-Supervisor R. B. Butler—Put me down as opposed to woman suffrage from the start. I think it would do the women more harm than it would benefit the people.

C. T. Cearley, stationer and news agent—If the women want the suffrage, let them have it. I am in favor of it.

W. W. Eden, member of the Board of Education—Give the women a vote. It's like the silver question. Give both a trial.

Emil Guenther—I am opposed to woman suffrage from actual observation at Spokane, Washington, where I have seen women voted in a mass by the preacher of their church. The scenes at the polls were disgusting.

J. L. Hudson, contractor—I'll fight for woman suffrage every time, you bet!

Old Man Pickford—I love the women, I do. Yes, I'll fight for them every time, God bless 'em! Let 'em vote!

S. N. Griffeth, real estate agent—I am against woman suffrage for reasons too numerous to mention.

G. L. Hood, attorney—I shall vote against the woman suffrage amendment as it stands because it is a dangerous experiment. But I see no objection to women voting at school elections.

City Recorder A. M. Clark—I am opposed to woman suffrage and shall vote against it.

Clarence Vincent—I do not believe that one woman in ten would use the franchise, if granted, therefore I should hardly vote to give it them. Men are fully capable of managing the affairs of state and woman's place is the home.

John C. Nen—I would let the ladies vote on school questions and on these alone.

George Bernhard—I am opposed to woman suffrage. It is the new woman, not the good wife and mother, that is clamoring for it.

Major Dennett of Alabama—I shall vote against the measure.

F. G. Berry—I see no reason why women should not vote. They will get my vote in November.

Danville Decker—I am wholly in favor of woman suffrage.

John S. Dore—I am in favor of woman suffrage as in the best interests of the people.

Major Simpson, Railroad hotel—I am inflexibly opposed to woman suffrage, first, last and all the time.

Judge G. A. Nourse—I shall vote for woman suffrage, not because I see any strong reasons for it but because I see none whatever against it.

T. W. Birmingham, carpenter and builder—I shall vote against the suffrage for women because of the discord it will produce.

Ex-Mayor Cole—I am opposed to woman suffrage because the best women in the country are opposed to it.

James A. Ward—I think too much of my wife to want to see her at the polls.

City Trustee Spinney—I am opposed to woman suffrage because I think the women are happier and better at home.

E. C. White—I don't believe in woman suffrage and shall vote against it.

Dr. G. A. Miller, dentist—I shall vote against woman suffrage because I fear it would put too much power into the hands of unscrupulous men.

E. R. Higgins, photographer—I shall vote for woman suffrage because it will stir up the men who are now too lazy to go to the polls and who allow the riff-raff to run the primaries.

An analysis of the 48 interviews shows 22 in favor, 23 opposed and 3 non-committal. It was the general impression of all those interviewed that the women will carry their point, the rural vote being overwhelmingly in their favor.

A MIDSUMMER SALE.

In Spite of the Oppressively Hot Weather Thousands of People Visit the Great Establishment of the Kutner-Goldstein Company.

The doors of the Kutner-Goldstein Company were hardly open yesterday morning when the good people of Fresno and vicinity commenced to throng into the portals of this popular and well-known establishment. That their record for always selling what they advertise and that always in quantities sufficient to satisfy everybody is well known throughout the entire San Joaquin valley. Not alone do they sell goods in Fresno county, but with the aid of their elaborate system of semi-annual catalogues they ship goods by mail and express throughout California, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas and other Pacific Coast states. This they are enabled to do by their system of selling high-grade merchandise at prices that are within every one's reach. Some of their would-be Cheap John trash competitors, that advertise that they and they only are the people's benefactors, are using this as a cloak and shield, whereby they palm off on an unsuspecting public their trash and riffraff—goods that are not cheap at any price. Residents of this section of California, people that have lived here for twenty years or more, know the sound reputation that the Kutner-Goldstein Company have for honest and fair methods of doing business, and also know that they only carry the standard makes and brands of honest merchandise. Their mammoth midsummer sale will continue the balance of this week, and all goods will be sold as advertised.*

BIG WINERY FOR FRESNO

PLANNED BY THE CALIFORNIA WINE ASSOCIATION.

The Grape Crusher Will Have a Capacity of Forty Tons an Hour.

Work has already commenced on the big winery which is to be erected by the California Wine Association near the railroad, two and a half miles south of Fresno. A force of men is engaged in excavating for the foundations of the several buildings and in building a switch from the railroad track. It is the purpose to have the winery in operation by August 15th.

H. G. Layng of San Francisco, the architect of the proposed buildings, is in Fresno to secure bids for such work as can be done by Fresno people. In another column a notice to carpenters and bricklayers can be found. As far as practicable it is the intention to have the work done by Fresno people. This means from $20,000 to $30,000 in the pockets of the working people of this vicinity.

The plant will be an immense one. There will be two large circular cellars, one for the storage of wines and the other for a distillery. Besides this there will be eating houses, etc., and a town of laborers will undoubtedly be built around it.

The grape crusher at the winery will have a capacity of forty tons an hour and almost any quantity of grapes can be handled. Everything will be equipped with the latest and most improved appliances. There will be two railroad elevators running from a switch 1050 feet long and two elevators for unloading wagons.

The California Wine Association is an organization of the leading wine men of the state. By such an organization they have placed the wine business on a paying basis. They realized that Fresno offered a fine field for the industry, and they concluded to establish a winery here. It will be of great value to the county as it will open a depository for a large part of the grape crop.

LEARNING TO READ.

Primary Education Outside of the Schools.

The law recently passed requiring voters to be able to write their names and read the constitution in the English language before they can be placed on the Great Register, provided they were not voters before the passage of the new law, is having its effect. A number of persons who have applied to be registered and who have been refused have gone away with the determination to learn these rudiments of education.

They have till August 9th in which to acquire the ability to read and write. Those who are persevering and possessed of average intelligence will probably be able to comply with the law in time to cast their votes next fall.

SING KEE'S QUAIL.

Arrested for Having Them in His Possession.

Justice St. John yesterday discharged a Chinaman named Sing Kee who had been arrested for having live quail in his possession. When brought into court Kee explained that he had captured the birds before the law, passed by the last legislature, prohibiting the retention of quail in captivity went into effect. He stated that he keeps them as pets.

Considering these circumstances Judge St. John did not think that the case was sufficient to warrant holding the Chinaman.

A tired stomach is very much like a sprained ankle. If you suffer from any of the symptoms of dyspepsia, your stomach is tired. It needs a crutch. We must relieve it of all work for a time, or until it is restored to its natural strength. To do this successfully, we must use a food which is already digested outside of the body, and which will aid the digestion of other foods that may be taken with it. Such a product is the Shaker Digestive Cordial.

The Shakers have utilized the digestive principles present in plants for the manufacture of this article, and its success has been truly phenomenal. You can try it for the nominal sum of 10 cents, as sample bottles are sold by all druggists at this price.

LAXOL is the best medicine for children. Doctors recommend it in place of Castor Oil.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. 25c. For sale by Buker & Colson.

CO-OPERATIVES' OFFER

THEY PROPOSED TO POOL WITH THE CORPORATION.

The Limitation of Output Said to Be the Barrier to Agreement.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:— The following proposition was submitted to the joint committee of the Hundred Thousand Club and Chamber of Commerce by the Co-operative Packers' Association. Action was taken by the board of directors of the Co-operative Packers' Association on May 29, 1896. The full text of the proposition is here given:

"To the Committee. Gentlemen—With a full appreciation of your efforts in the interests of the raisin industry, and realizing the importance of centralization in selling and marketing the product and pooling the proceeds, to the end that competition among ourselves may cease, uniform prices be maintained and uniform results to the grower be realized, we beg leave to submit the following:

"We have maintained from the start that we could not consistently become a part of the proposed corporation, and find it absolutely beyond our power to do so. From our standpoint it does not seem essential to the end sought. We are more than anxious to reach the end you are seeking, as it is fundamental in our method of operation. To the end, therefore, that it may be accomplished, we suggest that a contract be entered into between the two corporations, the Co-operative Packers' Association and the California Raisin Association, binding and holding each to the essential feature of the proposition submitted by your committee, viz.: that all goods shall be held for f. o. b. sales at California shipping point at prices fixed by the committee. No goods to be consigned, and the proceeds of all sales to be prorated to all parties in interest. No member, firm, corporation or individual, in any manner connected with either of said parties as stockholder, member, employee or otherwise, shall own, hold or control, either directly or indirectly, any raisins not included under the provisions of said agreement.

"An arbitration committee of three might be chosen, say two from the present committee and one from the outside, whose duty it should be to adjust all matters of dispute that might arise under the contract; the present committee to remain intact and maintain its present relations.

"If it be thought best for all parties having selling facilities to act as brokers, the arbitration committee should establish an office under control of a competent accountant, where a record should be kept of all goods under control, orders received, shipments made and moneys received. This for the convenience of the committee in prorating the proceeds.

"While it might be well to stipulate that an agreed percentage (say 75 per cent) of the entire output should be secured to make the contract binding, we think it safe to say that under such an arrangement a percentage may be agreed upon and brought under control sufficient to crown the labors of your committee with a success that shall be a satisfaction and a blessing.

"Commission, co-operative and independent packer could all join in the procession and live.

"In accordance with the above and to show our good faith, we hereby tender your committee control of our output of raisins for the season of 1896, to the same extent and for the same purposes outlined in your plan for controlling the output of the California Raisin Association: necessary and satisfactory arrangements to be made for prorating the proceeds of all sales between the two corporations according to quantity and grades furnished by each."

We submit the foregoing to the public to the end that our position may be fully understood. In a condensed form our proposition is:

First—That all parties shall be bound by contract to hold all goods under control for f.o.b. cash sales at prices fixed by the committee as now constituted.

Second—That necessary and satisfactory arrangements be made for pooling the proceeds of all sales among all parties in interest on the basis of quantity and grades furnished by each.

What we say as to the manner of doing this is simply suggestive and by no means final with us. In a matter of so great importance good faith will suggest a way to arrange matters of detail.

The foregoing proposition was submitted to the committee of five on the 29th day of May, and has not been withdrawn by us.

The chairman of said committee has, however, notified the president of this association that unless the co-operatives agree to limit their pack for the coming season to about 600 cars, negotiations must be declared off.

The Co-operative Packers' Association control the output of eleven co-operative packing houses already as against five under control last season.

THE CO-OPERATIVE PACKERS' ASS'N.
Fresno, Cal., June 15, 1896.

FOR THREATENED OFFENSE.

D. M. Rafailovich Wanted the Court to Go His Bail.

Charles Detoy, a German, last evening filed a complaint in Recorder Clark's court charging a Slavonian named D. M. Rafailovich with threatened offense. In default of $250 bail, pending his examination, Rafailovich went to jail.

Detoy is a foreman at the Tenney fruit cannery and for the past week Rafailovich has been working for him. Yesterday afternoon some of the women working in the establishment complained to the foreman that Rafailovich had acted in an unbecoming manner.

Detoy immediately went to the employe and after giving him a record of what he had earned ordered him to leave the place. The Slavonian refused to do this until he could see Mr. Tenney and get his money. The foreman thereupon shoved him over some boxes, knocking him to the ground. Rafailovich says that he offered no resistance and exhibits a cut on the left cheek which he received when knocked down by the foreman. Rafailovich afterwards went to the office of the cannery and got what was coming to him.

He claims that he had done nothing to offend the women. Considering that he had been greatly wronged he returned to the cannery. Detoy says that Rafailovich threatened to "do him up" and used violent language toward him.

Policeman Antone George was sent for and arrested Rafailovich. In court the prisoner declared that he had done nothing wrong. He thought he was harshly treated when sent to jail under such circumstances. Judge Clark required $250 bail, however, and then Rafailovich asked the court to go on his bond. Officer George led the prisoner away under protest.

KILLED BY A HAY PRESS.

Coroner Long Summoned to the West Side.

Word was yesterday received in this city that a man had been killed by a hay press near Oxalis, in the vicinity of Dos Palos, on the West Side. The name of the man was not given, nor the particulars of the manner of his death.

Coroner Long was notified, but he received no further information. He left on the 8 o'clock train this morning for the scene.

At Barnum's, cor. G and Mono streets, Wieland's Extra Pale on draught.

INFORMATION DESIRED.

A Correspondent Speaks of the Price of Fruit.

EDITOR REPUBLICAN:—I find in the columns of your paper on Sunday a communication from two different parties representing northern canners of fruit, in which it is stated that they are paying from $30 to $40 per ton for peaches on a standard of two and one-fourth inches. We also learn from different sources that the One Hundred Thousand club and the Fresno Chamber of Commerce paid the Tenney Canning Company $2500 to move their plant to Fresno in the hope and the expectation that the enterprise would materially help the people of Fresno county. Now what do we find? The Tenney Company have their agents in Selma offering us from $10 to $12 per ton for the same class of fruit that the northern canners are buying at from $30 to $40 per ton, on a standard of two and one-fourth instead of two and one-half inch diameter.

I would like to ask the people of Fresno county what all this means? Is it possible that these laudable organizations, The Hundred Thousand Club and the Chamber of Commerce, paid this company $2500 to come here and cinch us, or did they expect, and did they not understand that they were bringing an enterprise here that would give the people a fair deal?

We did feel like heaping blessings upon these organizations for being instrumental in bringing this company here to can our fruit, but when they come here and make such offers as they have, we think the people have a right to complain, and the organizations have the right to complain. My individual opinion is that the people of Fresno county do not want any more enterprises like the new cannery company, and the commission raisin packers of Fresno county. But what we do want is some one to come here and buy our fruit and raisins at a reasonable price, pay us for them and let us have a living anyway. J. M. HARRIS.

Selma, June 15th.

Noah A. Hickok of Madison was in the county seat yesterday.

AN OLD ENGINEER.

WORKED ON THE FIRST LOCOMOTIVES BUILT.

Thomas Wilkinson of Fowler Can Recite Many Extraordinary Reminiscences.

Thomas Wilkinson of Fowler yesterday visited the county clerk's office for the purpose of registration. Mr. Wilkinson is one of the old school mechanics. He is an engineer and locomotive builder and has plied his mechanism on the first railroad engines in the world.

During and before the year 1845 he was in the employ of the Stockton & Darlington Railroad Company in England, the first one of Stevenson's roads, and in fact the first road ever constructed and opened for public traffic. It was opened on the 27th of September, 1825.

At first the speed was eight miles per hour. The road now having been extended from London to Edinburg, 587 miles, the distance is covered in the same number of minutes there are miles.

Mr. Wilkinson has always had a penchant for preserving railroad passes, and to run over his accumulations for two generations is as instructive and interesting as is the evolutions in the carrying trade. Many of the passes are curiosities and possess historic value. Here is one of them:

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"Thomas Wilkinson to ride by coach or coal train to etc Middlesbro.
"Shildon Works, Sept 4, 1845.
"WM. BOUCH."

William Bouch took charge of this road after Stevenson retired. Mr. Wilkinson has been a son by adoption of Uncle Sam since 1854.

G. W. Barnes came up yesterday from Fowler.

AT THE FRONT

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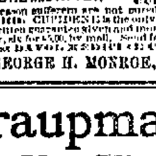

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100 dozen Ladies' Fast Black Hose, double heels and toes, manufactured from Egyptian Maco Cotton, 25c a pair.

The world-renowned Kid-fitting Corsets in drab and black, $1 a pair.

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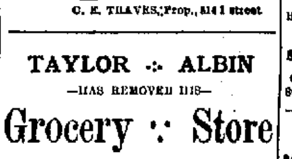

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Fresno, June 10, 1896.

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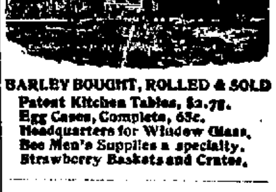

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BUCKLEY MEN DEFEATED

They Steal a March But Lose the Point.

GOULD TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN

It is Believed the Committee on Credentials Will Seat the Junta Delegates.

SACRAMENTO, June 16.—The overthrow of the Buckley faction of the Democratic party is complete. The state convention met in this city at 2.30 this afternoon, and, although it was in session but a little over two hours, the Buckley men were twice defeated on tests of strength, and this too without the Junta delegation from San Francisco casting a ballot. The delegates from the interior counties accomplished the feat unaided.

The Buckley delegates sprung their first surprise when, at 1 o'clock this afternoon, they bore down upon the convention hall in a body, brushed the sergeant-at-arms and his burly deputies aside and seated themselves in that portion of the hall reserved for the Junta delegation. McNab's followers sauntered in half an hour later, and finding their seats occupied by their opponents, took seats about the hall wherever empty chairs could be found. Everybody expected a physical conflict, and when Chairman Gould did not appear until 2.30 o'clock, it was whispered about the hall that when Gould should appear he would probably be accompanied by a squad of police. But Gould came at last unheralded and unaccompanied, and a moment later J. C. Ruddick of San Francisco called the convention to order. W. M. Gibson, a lawyer of Stockton, was on his feet in a moment to propose a motion to exclude both contesting delegations from San Francisco, pending the appointment of the committee on credentials.

motion was ruled out by the The chair who declared that the election of temporary chairman was the only business in order. Gibson appealed from the ruling and after a great deal of shouting and confusion the chair sustained the appeal and ordered a roll. Then came another outbreak, W. A. Ryan of Los Angeles moved that the Junta delegation from San Francisco be prohibited from voting on the appeal. The motion was ruled out and the calling of the roll proceeded. When the Junta delegation was reached—the last on the list—the vote stood 336 to sustain the chair as against 114 opposed. The Buckley delegation had been overwhelmingly defeated by the interior counties. Without calling for the vote of the San Francisco delegation it was announced that the chair had been sustained.

The first skirmish over nominations for temporary chairman began. Frank Nichols of Stockton nominated Gould, whose nomination was seconded by W. M. Gibson. Delegate Earl of Los Angeles nominated W. A. Ryan of the same city. W. A. Cassin of Santa Cruz nominated Senator Burke of Santa Cruz county. Burke's nomination was seconded by Colonel O'Byne of San Francisco, Keller of Santa Clara, and Joseph Rotschild of San Francisco. Ryan of Los Angeles then withdrew and seconded the nomination of Burke.

The roll call proved a landslide for Gould. Santa Clara and Santa Cruz supported Burke, who received scattering votes from other quarters. Gould's election became apparent, however, and after the vote of Santa Cruz had been cast for Burke the senator arose and withdrew from the contest, and by permission of the delegation changed the vote of the county from himself to Gould. At the same time Senator Burke moved that Gould's election be made by acclamation. Andrew J. Clunie, of the Buckley delegates from San Francisco, who held a proxy from an interior county, seconded the motion and Gould was unanimously elected.

Chairman Gould made a brief address and after a recess of half an hour announced the following committees:

On credentials—Miles Wallace of Madera, F. V. Dewey of Kings, W. F. Prisk of Nevada, I. I. Irvine of San Diego, Robert Howe of Sonoma, John McMurray of Trinity, L. P. Farmer of Sutter, P. E. Scabaln of Monterey, Ben M. Maddox of Tulare, H. M. LaRue Jr. of Sacramento, A. W. Eibeschutz of Inyo, Woodson Girard of Calaveras. A. S. Cooper of Santa Barbara, George Hoffmeyer of El Dorado and George Fox of San Joaquin.

On permanent organization and order of business—Marion DeVries of San Joaquin, A. Caminetti of Amador, S. Ford of Modoc, J. H. Wilkinson of Marin, J. C. C. Russell Jr. of Mariposa, E. S. O'Brien of Merced, L. W. Folkerth of Stanislaus, W. H. Workman of Los Angeles, Byron Hall of Yolo and H. H. Harris of Napa.

It was decided to postpone the appointment of the committee on platform until after the report of the committee on credentials. The convention then adjourned until 9 o'clock tomorrow.

SEVENTH DISTRICT.

George E. Church Delegate to Chicago—Maddux for Congress.

SACRAMENTO, June 16.—She Seventh district congressional convention met tonight and by acclamation nominated L. J. Maddux of Modesto for congress. Oscar Trippet of San Diego and George E. Church of Fresno were chosen delegates to the Chicago convention and J. W. Martin of Tulare was nominated for presidential elector.

MORE BREAKERS.

Buckley Delegates Not in Favor With the Credentials Committee.

SACRAMENTO, June 16.—The committee on credentials met at 10 o'clock this evening to take up the various contests before the convention. The contest between J. J. McDonald and R. B. White of the Third Ward in Oakland was first considered. W. W. Foote, representing White, who has been recognized by the state central committee, made an impassioned address, in which he charged that the contest had been brought largely to discredit him before his constituents. Foote openly charged that the ballot boxes had been stuffed in the ward and offered an affidavit made by one of the election officers in support of his contention. The committee took the case under advisement until tomorrow morning, when a report will be made to the convention.

The San Francisco contest between the Junta and the Buckley forces was next taken up. At midnight the committee was still in session with little prospect at all of the evidence being submitted before 4 o'clock. From statements made by members of the committee it is believed that no decision will be rendered tonight and that the case will be taken under advisement.

Persons in a position to speak with authority say that the committee will undoubtedly report in favor of rejecting the Buckley delegates without even so much as a half vote each. Should such a report be made it will be a great disappointment to the Buckley men, as since they met with crushing defeat in the convention they have based all of their hopes on securing a half vote for each delegate.

Fruit and Grain Markets.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—Jobbing prices are as follows:

GREEN FRUIT.

Pringle apricots, 50@65c; New Castle, 50@65c; Royal, 50@75c; currants, $3@6; peaches, 40c@65c; plums, large, 75c@$1; do, cherry, 40@50c; do, green gauge, 49@50c; apples, large, $1@$1.50; do small, 35c@60c; do Australian, 7c@$1 per box; pears, 20@40c; blackberries, $1@1.15.

DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots — Fancy Moorparks 11c, choice 10c, fancy 10c, choice 9c, standard 7½c, prime 6½c.

Peaches—Fancy 6c, choice 5c, standard 3½c, prime 5c, peeled in boxes 11@12c.

Prunes—Four sizes 4c.

Nectarines—Fancy 5c, standard 4½c, prime 4c.

Raisins—In sacks or 50-pound boxes, 4-crown, loose, 3½c; 3-crown 2⅔@3c; 2-crown 2¼@2½c, dried grapes 2c.

In 20-pound boxes, 3-crown, London layers, 75@90c; clusters $1.50@1.75, Dehesa clusters $2.50, Imperial clusters $2.75.

GRAIN.

Wheat—Firm; December, 98⅛c.
Barley—No trading.
Corn—82½c.
Bran—$16.50

BONDS WILL BE SOLD.

Valley Road Stockholders Ratify the Directors' Action.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 16.—The stockholders of the San Joaquin Valley road met today and ratified the action of the directors in bonding the road for $6,000,000. The bonds are to bear 5 per cent interest and will run forty-four years. The cash obtained from the sale of the first block of bonds is to be spent on either the extension south of Fresno to Bakersfield or on the Stockton-Oakland line.

Suicide by Shooting.

SACRAMENTO, June 16.—James M. Redding, a well-to-do rancher at Elk Grove, committed suicide today by shooting. He leaves a family. The cause is unknown.

Condition of the Treasury.

WASHINGTON, June 17.—Today's statement of the condition of the treasury shows: Available cash balance, $268,622,179; gold reserve, $105,281,504.

An Eccentric Traveler.

Colonel G., a considerable landowner in the midlands, had a mania for travel, or rather a spirit of unrest which prompted him to keep continually on the move. This harmless eccentricity made his whereabouts a perpetual mystery. On one occasion, after months of absence, he suddenly returned to his house and was accidentally met in the hall by his son.

"How are you, my boy? No, no; can't stay to dinner. Only looked in to change my hat. Goodby. I have kept the fly at the door," and he was off again.

One day when his son's yacht was at Corfu he made an unexpected appearance and was with difficulty persuaded by his daughter-in-law to stay for breakfast. During the meal the steward reported that he could find no nails with which to repair a bookshelf.

"No brass headed nails?" cried the colonel, who had been fidgeting in his chair and saw in this want an opening for his peculiar talent. "No brass headed nails! I'll get you some," and he tumbled over the side into his boat.

Five months later he reappeared at Constantinople, where the yacht then was.

"Here you are, my boy!" he cried triumphantly, producing a small packet. "Here are nails—real good ones. Bought them myself a Birmingham, but had to go round by Honolulu and San Francisco. What! Too large? I'll get you some smaller ones. Goodby." And it was only by gentle force that he could be restrained from starting off forthwith.

PERO PULLED A PISTOL.

A Laborer Files a Complaint Against Him.

Henry Pero was arrested yesterday on a charge of exhibiting a deadly weapon in a threatening manner and not in self-defense. The complainant is Florence Rambaud, and the warrant was sworn out in Justice St. John's court. Pero entered a plea of not guilty and his trial was set for tomorrow.

The complainant in the case is a laborer and has been working for Pero. They had a disagreement about the wages and Rambaud says that when he went to get his blankets to leave, Pero rushed at him with a pistol and ordered him to leave the premises. Rambaud was in a buggy and he plied the lash to his horse as hard as he could for the next three miles, to be sure he was out of reach of the bullets.

FAST FREIGHT SERVICE.

The Shipment of Green Fruit to the East.

John A. Gill, Pacific Coast freight agent for the Vanderbilt lines, Lake Shore and Michigan Central Railways, has been in the city looking after the interests of his companies. Mr. Gill says his lines have completed all details to give green fruit shipments expedited service east of Chicago, and that regular freight rates will only be charged. This should prove a great benefit to the fruit growers in California. He considers the present outlook for growers much better than has been reported, and while the total shipments may be somewhat less than last season, the general results will be more satisfactory.

Adjudged Insane.

Judge Risley, assisted by Dr. H. St. George Hopkins and Dr. G. L. Long, yesterday held an examination to determine the sanity or insanity of Mrs. M. E. Skoegard of Nevada colony. She is about 45 years of age and of late has developed homocidal tendencies, which render it dangerous to allow her to be at large. She was adjudged insane and was ordered committed to the asylum.

The Trial of Jeffords.

The case of the people against J. E. Jeffords was called yesterday in Judge Carter's court. Jeffords is accused of assisting to rob a camp of Portuguese sheepherders near Wildflower a year ago. The trial of the case was continued till June 18th.

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DISAGREE AGAIN.

RESULT OF CLARK WOOD'S SECOND TRIAL.

The Embezzlement and Perjury Cases Continued Till the October Term.

The second trial of Clark E. Wood on a charge of embezzlement was concluded yesterday and resulted in another disagreement, eight standing for conviction and four for acquittal. At the first trial the jury stood two for conviction and ten for acquittal.

The court discharged the jury and ordered the case continued till the October term. The perjury case, which was set for trial tomorrow, was also continued till October.

The case opened with the argument of W. D. Tupper for the defense. Mr. Tupper did not miss one presumed flaw in the evidence.

N. C. Coldwell followed with a vigorous argument for the prosecution. He considered the case prima facie against the defendant and confidently expected a conviction. The two attorneys occupied the attention of the court till noon.

At the afternoon session Judge Conley gave his instructions to the jury, which then retired, and after being out several hours returned with the result above stated.

LETTER FROM MADERA.

A Fruitless Chase After Murderer Dunham.

James H. Arnold of Coarse Gold is down from his home at that place attending to matters of business.

E. McLaughlin, the capitalist of San Jose, arrived on the morning train today.

Yesterday about 2 o'clock Charles A. Lee came down from the vicinity o O'Neals with the startling statement that Dunham, the murderer, was staked out in that neighborhood and he desired the officials to go up there and arrest him. The description that he gave tallied fairly well with that of the murderer and Sheriff Westfall and Constable Green started out to capture the $11,000 reward. They overtook the wayfarer, who seemed to be an aspirant for the asylum, but it was not Dunham. The stranger had money and said he was working towards Millerton with the object of procuring work. The officers returned this morning.

Constable W. H. Glas yesterday brought V. B. Fincher from Fresno where he was arrested on a charge of an assault with a deadly weapon. He was arraigned before Justice Elmore who placed his bond at the sum of $1000, which was promptly furnished. He pleaded not guilty and as Price had not yet recovered from his wounds, the case was put over till Price is able to appear in court.

Frank Prather and Thomas Egan of Fresno are in town exhibiting their electro microcosm, which is the invention of Mr. Prather. They are located in the Dworack building and their ingenious invention is attracting a great deal of attention. It is something new, unique and interesting and a half hour can be pleasantly spent watching the numerous pieces of mechanism which work with clock-like precision.

Madera, June 16th. FAIRFAX.

THE UBIQUITOUS DUNHAM.

He is Reported in a Number of Places.

Notwithstanding the fact that Deputy Sheriff Timmins made a careful search and ascertained beyond doubt that Dunham, the San Jose murderer, never came into Fresno county, people report that they have seen the fugitive near the county seat. At Oleander a man "answering exactly the description of Dunham" was seen; near Collis a man "answering, etc." called at a ranch house for something to eat. At the Collis place the people became very much frightened as they all expected to be butchered. They were certain that it was the murderer. It is hardly to be wondered that the officers have not caught Dunham considering the information offered them as to his whereabouts.

Even some of the Fresno girls who returned Monday from an excursion to the electric power house on the San Joaquin river, have wild stories to tell of Dunham's appearance at their camp in the mountains.

GRADY CAME NOT.

He is Said to Have Left Fresno for Good Again.

When the case of the people against E. M. Jeffords, charged with robbing some Portuguese who were sleeping in camp near Selma last June, was called before Judge Carter for trial yesterday morning, W. D. Grady, the attorney for the defendant, failed to put in an appearance. The case was therefore continued until tomorrow.

It is reported that Mr. Grady is making another of his attempts to remain away from Fresno. At the expiration of the time allowed him in which to pay the fine of $60 for contempt of court Grady wrote a letter to Judge Carter asking him not to send the sheriff after him. Grady stated that he would be at hand at the Jeffords trial and would then have the $60 to pay the fine. But he failed to turn up and it is said that he now intends to stay in San Francisco in the future.

SLAPPED OUT WITH SACKS

Fighting a Foxtail Fire Beyond B Street.

At 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon a lively fight occurred just west of B street, where a foxtail fire broke out and was making straight for two large haystacks, when the citizens sallied out with sacks and did some brisk slapping. Chief Hart chanced to be near the place, and he directed the operation and did a little slapping too. The wind was brisk and the day being about as warm as the law allows, the fire had the advantage for a while.

A telephone message was sent to the chemical engine house and the boys there responded, but the wet sacks had done their work before the engine arrived. The fire started from a pile of smoldering trash near Spinney's brick kiln.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

Those Who Were Successful for Primary Certificates.

The teachers' examination at the Baptist church under the management of the county board of education, is still progressing. Those who took the primary certificate questions and who successfully passed were the following:

Mary E. Maxwell of Kingsburg, Franky Bowen and Emma Harmon of Fresno, Daisy L. Mitchell of Fowler, L. E. Hughson of Fresno, A. E. Balch of Oleander, I. G. Maxson of Trimmer Spring, Alice M. Applegarth of Fresno, Manson F. McCormick of Easton, Emma N. Davis of Fresno, Belle Patton of Fowler.

Three candidates are proceeding with the grammar grade examination, and three entered the examination for high school certificates yesterday.

PERSONAL.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hollenbeck are sojourning at Bartlett Springs.

Constable Bernstein of Hanford paid a business trip to Fresno yesterday.

C. A. Chambers left last night for Bakersfield where he will visit his sister.

J. W. Walker arrived from Pine Ridge yesterday morning and returned last night.

L. A. Nares returned to San Francisco this morning after a brief business visit to Fresno.

J. O. Pottle and wife and Dr. W. P. Miller and wife were among the visitors over from Sanger yesterday.

Deputy Constable Mason of Fowler, and Deputy Constable Perry of Sanger spent yesterday in the county seat.

Professor T. O. Elliott left last evening for Tulare where he will spend a week visiting his brother and from there will go to the coast.

F. A. Cody and son, L. R. Cody, accompanied by Professor Selton, an English mining expert, left Fresno this morning for Mexico, where they expect to engage in a mining enterprise.

George A. Clark, editor of the Madera *Tribune*, came down to Fresno last evening to attend the district convention of the Order of Woodmen, which will meet in this city today.

Col. H. Trevelyan, manager of the Barton vineyard, returned on last night's train from a visit to his former home in England. The Colonel had a pleasant journey. He made the trip from Liverpool to Fresno in ten days and one hour. Thomas Lloyd, who went to Europe with him, will return to Fresno in a few weeks.

Received His Commission.

J. M. Collins yesterday received from Grand Master Workmen William Vinter a commission as district deputy grand master workman for district lodges Nos. 171, 208 and 279, Fresno county. Mr. Collins has received the congratulations of many friends on account of the honor bestowed on him.

SUFFERERS HEALED

At the Golden Rule Drug Store.

You can be cured of your ills by a competent physician, a graduate of leading universities of Europe and America, at the Golden Rule Drug Store, 1730 Mariposa street. Treatment safe, remedies always reliable and charges very reasonable at the Golden Rule Drug Store. All standard patent medicines, toilet articles, chemicals, etc., are sold cheaper than at any other place in town. *

A New Market, Elegantly Furnished, Occupied by G. L. Moore.

G. L. Moore, proprietor of the Layton market, has just removed to one of the finest retail meat markets in the state, located in the Edgerly block, 1840 Tulare street. The market is quite large, accommodating a fine Gurney refrigerator and every equipment necessary to a first-class establishment. *

Get a rig for $1.50 (except Sundays and holidays) for four hours' ride. Telephone 32, Dexter Stables. *

A bargain—one '96 swell special Cleveland cheap for cash at Warnekros', 1915 Mariposa street. *

The Latest

Society Stationery. South & Fentem. *

Stage to Power House

By way of Auberry and Lodge leaves Fresno Wednesdays and Saturdays at 7 a.m., returning Mondays and Thursdays. Headquarters Stevens' feed yard, corner L and Fresno streets.

* E. A. WILLIAMS, Proprietor.

A Chance for a Live Man

With small capital to make good wages. For particulars see W. N. Rohrer, Fresno National Bank building. *

One high-grade business bike can be bought for $55, with the builder's guarantee, at A. U. Warnekros'. *

Down-to-date bird cages. Barrett-Hicks Co. *

James Perdue, an old soldier residing at Monroe, Mich., was severely afflicted with rheumatism, but received prompt relief from pain by using Chamberlain's Pain Balm. He says: "At times my back would ache so badly that I could hardly raise up. If I had not got relief, I would not be here to write these few lines. Chamberlain's Pain Balm has done me a great deal of good, and I feel very thankful for it." For sale by Smith Bros., cor. Hughes hotel.

Good News.

The excitement is greater than ever before in Bicycle circles, and the long-waited-for opportunity has arrived to buy a standard high-grade and a leading wheel of the day—at prices within the reach of all—a Rambler Bicycle:

1896 Rambers, $85.
1896 Tandems, $125.
1895 Ramblers, $60.
1895 Tandems, $110.
1896 Ideals, $58.
1896 Ideals, $55.
1896 Ideals, $40.

A few second-hand wheels at $25 and $35.

These bicycles are the standard of excellence; worth more money than any others on the market; guaranteed and all new. When you ride a bicycle, ride the best—a Rambler or Ideal. R. M. THOMPSON'S Big Bicycle Store, 1156-J street.

Universal Salve

Cures piles, blind or bleeding, protruding or internal, stops itching instantly, allays inflammation, and gives ease at once to the sore parts. Price, 25c at Smith Bros' drug store.

Corns! Corns!

Smith's Corn Paint is the only remedy that is guaranteed to cure corns. Try it at Smith Bros' drug store.

Malaria! Chills! Fever!

Smith Bros' Ague Cure immediately cures intermittent fever, chills and fever, and dumb ague. Every bottle guaranteed to break any case of chills in three doses. Never fails. Try it. Only at Smith Bros' drug store. Take no other.

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1139 J Street.

Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

In the Superior Court, county of Fresno, state of California.

The California Savings and Loan Society (a corporation), plaintiff, vs. R. W. Briscoe, Mrs. R. W. Briscoe (his wife) and J. S. Herman, defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 6th day of June, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 8th day of June, 1896, in favor of said The California Savings and Loan Society (a corporation), plaintiff, and against R. W. Briscoe, Mrs. R. W. Briscoe (his wife) and J. S. Herman, defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 9, of the said Superior court, on page 58, for the sum of three thousand three hundred eighty-nine and 8-100 dollars in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Thursday, the 9th day of July, 1896, at 12 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the west door of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows: Situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, viz.:

Lots eighty-five (85) and ninety-two (92) of Malaga tract, being the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section 36, in township 14 south, of range 20 east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated, Fresno, June 17th, 1896.

O. SCRIBNER, Commissioner.

J. F. Cowdery, attorney for plaintiff. j17

Notice of Commissioner's Sale.

No. 6720. Department 1.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno state of California.

M. Theodore Kearney, plaintiff, vs. Horatio H. Whitten and Cecelia Frances Whitten, his wife, Helen O. Bloodgood, Laura Virginia Luce and John M. Luce, her husband, John Doe, Richard Roe and Richard Green, defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, state of California, on the 12th day of June, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 14th day of April, 1896, in favor of the plaintiff above named, M. Theodore Kearney, and against said defendants, Horatio H. Whitten and Cecelia Frances Whitten, his wife, Helen O. Bloodgood, Laura Virginia Luce and John M. Luce, her husband, John Doe, Richard Roe and Richard Green, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 8, of the said Superior court, on pages 453 et seq., for the sum of three thousand four hundred seventy-nine and 30-100 dollars, in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 7th day of July, 1896, at 12.00 o'clock noon of that day, in front of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises described in the said order of sale, as follows: Situate, lying and being in the county of Fresno, state of California, and particularly described as follows, to-wit:

Lots fifty-one (51) and fifty-two (52), as the same are numbered and described upon the map of Fruit Vale estate of said county and state, made by J. C. Henkenius, dated February 1st, 1889, and recorded in the office of the county recorder of said Fresno county. Said lots being twenty (20) acres of land, more or less, according to said map, and being portions of section eleven (11), in township fourteen (14) south, of range nineteen (19) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, together with the water rights appurtenant to said lots as recorded in the office of the county recorder of said Fresno county, in book "I" of covenants, pages 470 et seq., reserving from said lots the right of way for roads and canals as laid down on said map.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the United States.

Dated Fresno, California, April 15th, 1896.

F. E. COOK,

Commissioner appointed by the Court.

Chickering, Thomas & Gregory and Frank H. Short, attorneys for plaintiff. j13

Resolution of Intention No. 152.

RESOLVED, THAT IT IS THE INTENTION of the Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno to order the following street work to be done, to-wit:

That a six-inch sewer be constructed from a manhole on Kern street, opposite the alley in block 37, through the center of the alley in blocks 37 and 36 to a point within ten feet of the south line of said block 36 with a four-inch on six-inch Y for each twenty-five feet frontage on said block, on said alley, the four-inch branch to be capped with an earthen cap; a six-inch inspection hole to be constructed four feet north of the south line of block 37 and one at the upper end of the sewer, equipped with a cast-iron cover, as provided for in the specifications; the cap of the inspection hole to be even with the grade of the sidewalk.

The last joint but one of the sewer to be a four-inch on six-inch Y, and the four-inch branch to extend to the side of the alley, and then with a quarter curve and four-inch pipe brought to the surface of the ground and extended sixteen feet above the surface, with a galvanized iron pipe four and one-half inches in diameter and capped with a bonnet cover, and securely fastened to a 4x4-inch redwood post 18 feet long, set firmly in the ground 4 feet.

The sewer to be laid upon a uniform grade of 1.6 feet to the 100 feet. The pipe to be of the best quality vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe. In refilling, all material used on the street or sidewalk to be carefully puddled and tamped.

All work to be done according to the sewer specifications on file in the office of the city clerk, and to the satisfaction and approval of the superintendent of streets.

The Fresno Morning Republican is hereby designated as the daily newspaper, published and circulated in this city, in which this resolution of intention shall be published for two days, and the notice thereof for six days, as often as said newspaper is issued therein.

The clerk of this board is hereby directed to publish and post this resolution for two days in the manner prescribed by law.

Passed this 15th day of June, 1896, by the following vote:

Aye—Trustees Austin, Spinney, Craycroft.
No—None.

C. J. CRAYCROFT,
President Board of Trustees.

Attest: J. W. SHANKLIN, City Clerk. j17

Notice of Award.

PURSUANT TO STATUTE AND TO RESOLUTION of the Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno, adopted on the 15th day of June, 1896, directing this notice, I hereby give notice that the said board, in open session, on the above date, opened, examined and publicly declared all sealed proposals offered for the following work, to-wit:

That a six-inch sewer be constructed from a manhole on Santa Clara street, opposite the alley in block 122 through the center of the alley in block 122 to a point within ten feet of the north line of said block 122 with a four-inch on six-inch Y for each twenty-five feet frontage on said block, on said alley, the four-inch branch to be capped with an earthen cap; a six-inch inspection hole to be constructed at the upper end of the sewer, equipped with a cast-iron cover, as provided for in the specifications; the cap of the inspection hole to be even with the grade of the sidewalk.

The last joint but one of the sewer to be a four-inch on six-inch Y, and the four-inch branch to extend to the side of the alley, and then with a quarter curve and four-inch pipe brought to the surface of the ground and extended sixteen feet above the surface, with a galvanized iron pipe four and one-half inches in diameter and capped with a ventilator cover, and securely fastened to a 4x4-inch redwood post 18 feet long, set firmly in the ground 4 feet.

The sewer to be laid upon a uniform grade of 3-10 foot to the 100 feet. The pipe to be of the best quality vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe. In refilling, all material used on the street or sidewalk to be carefully puddled and tamped.

All work to be done according to the sewer specifications on file in the office of the city clerk, and to the satisfaction and approval of the superintendent of streets.

And thereafter awarded the contract for said work to the lowest regular responsible bidder, to-wit: S. B. Tombs at the prices named for said work in his proposal on file, to-wit: for $175.00, and that the said award has been approved by the president of the Board of Trustees of said city of Fresno.

City Clerk's office, city of Fresno, June 16th, 1896.

j17 J. W. SHANKLIN, City Clerk.

Notice of Award.

PURSUANT TO STATUTE AND TO RESOLUTION of the Board of Trustees of the city of Fresno, adopted on the 15th day of June, 1896, directing this notice, I hereby give notice that the said board, in open session, on the above date, opened, examined and publicly declared all sealed proposals offered for the following work, to-wit:

That a six-inch sewer be constructed from a manhole on Mono street, opposite the alley in block 119, through the center of the alley in block 119, to a point within ten feet of the north line of said block 119 with a four-inch on six-inch Y for each 25 feet frontage on said block, on said alley, the four-inch branch to be capped with an earthen cap; a six-inch inspection hole to be constructed at the upper end of the sewer, equipped with a cast-iron cover, as provided for in the specifications; the cap of the inspection hole to be even with the grade of the sidewalk.

The last joint but one of the sewer to be a four-inch on six-inch Y, and the four-inch branch to extend to the side of the alley, and then with a quarter curve and four-inch pipe brought to the surface of the ground and extended sixteen feet above the surface, with a galvanized iron pipe four and one-half inches in diameter and capped with a bonnet cover, and securely fastened to a 4x4-inch redwood post 18 feet long, set firmly in the ground 4 feet.

The sewer to be laid upon a uniform grade of 5-10 foot to the 100 feet. The pipe to be of the best quality vitrified, salt-glazed, ironstone pipe. In refilling, all material used on the street or sidewalk to be carefully puddled and tamped.

All work to be done according to the sewer specifications on file in the office of the city clerk, and to the satisfaction and approval of the superintendent of streets.

And thereafter awarded the contract for said work to the lowest regular responsible bidder, to-wit: J. L. Hudson at the prices named for said work in his proposal on file, to-wit: for $200.00, and that the said award has been approved by the president of the Board of Trustees of said city of Fresno.

City Clerk's office, city of Fresno, June 16th, 1896.

j17 J. W. SHANKLIN, City Clerk.

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Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of T. E. Maxwell, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, administrator of the estate of T. E. Maxwell, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at the office of Frank Kauke, attorney at law, room 19, 1922 Mariposa street, city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate.

Dated May 16th, 1896.

J. F. MAXWELL,

Administrator of the estate of T. E. Maxwell, deceased.

Frank Kauke, attorney for administrator. m20t30

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of S. N. Straube, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Laura M. Straube, administratrix of the estate of S. N. Straube, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at the office of her attorney, O. Scribner, rooms 20 and 21, third floor, Fresno Loan and Savings Bank building, Fresno city, Fresno county, state of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the county of Fresno, state of California.

LAURA M. STRAUBE,

Administratrix of the estate of S. N. Straube, deceased.

Dated at Fresno, May 14th, 1896.

O. Scribner, attorney for administratrix. m15

FRATERNAL SOCIETIES

Odd Fellows

FRESNO LODGE No. 186, I.O.O.F., meets Monday evening at 7.30 in Masonic Temple. All Odd Fellows are cordially invited to attend.

T. J. KELLY, N. G.

E. M. BISHOP, Secretary.

Masonic Meetings

MASONIC TEMPLE, CORNER TULARE AND I STREETS

FRESNO LODGE, NO. 247, F. & A. M. Stated meetings on Friday on or before the full of the moon.

O. W BARRETT, W. M.

T. H. WARRINGTON, Secretary.

O. E. S., RAISINA CHAPTER NO. 89, MEETS first and third Thursdays of each month at 7.30 o'clock in Masonic Temple

MRS. GOLDIE LATY, Worthy Matron.

MRS. ELIZA F. GRIMES Secy.

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Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Ida Scott, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE undersigned, Jay Scott, administrator of the estate of Ida Scott, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Jay Scott, at the office of the sheriff of the county of Fresno, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate, in the said county of Fresno, state of California.

JAY SCOTT,

Administrator of the estate of Ida Scott, deceased.

Dated at Fresno, May 24th, 1896. m24t30

Summons.

No. 6462.

In the Superior court of the state of California, in and for the county of Fresno—Department No. 2.

John W. Butler, plaintiff, vs. George T. Harris, Mary C. Hughes, C. P. Hone, M. C. Munger, John Doe, Richard Roe, Peter Jones and Mary Black, defendants.

The people of the state of California send greeting to George T. Harris, Mary C. Hughes, C. P. Hone, M. C. Munger, John Doe, Richard Roe, Peter Jones and Mary Black, defendants.

YOU ARE HEREBY REQUIRED TO APPEAR in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiff in the Superior court of the state of California, in and for the county of Fresno, and to answer the complaint filed therein, within ten days (exclusive of the day of service), after the service on you of this summons, if served within this county, or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

Said action is brought to foreclose that certain mortgage made by George T. Harris to the California Guarantee Investment Company (a corporation), dated March 14th, 1893, and recorded April 26th, 1893, in the office of the recorder of the county of Fresno, state of California, in volume 102 of mortgages, page 174 et seq., which said mortgage was on the 29th day of December, 1894, transferred to plaintiff by said California Guarantee Investment Company, said mortgage covering the following described property:

All that certain real estate situated in the county of Fresno, state of California: Being section sixteen (16), township ten (10) south, range twenty-two (22) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, containing six hundred and forty (640), acres together with the appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Also to obtain judgment against said defendant, George T. Harris, for the sum of $2652.12, with interest thereon at the rate of 1¼ per cent per month from the 1st day of January, 1895, all to be paid in United States gold coin, and for costs of this suit, and for $250 counsel fees; also for such other sums as may become due from said defendant, George T. Harris, before the final satisfaction of said mortgage, on account of assessments, street assessments, liens, sums paid to compromise, purchase or otherwise settle adverse claims to the mortgaged property, or to keep said property insured, with interest on said last mentioned sums at the rate of two per cent per month from the respective dates of payment by plaintiff until repaid.

Also to obtain a decree of said court for the sale of the premises described in said mortgage, according to law and the practice of said court; that the court appoint a commissioner to make said sale, and that the proceeds of said sale may be applied, first, in payment of the costs and expenses of this action and the counsel fees allowed therein; second, in payment of the amount found due plaintiff on account of said installments and interest thereon; third, in payment of all sums advanced, or which may hereafter, before the satisfaction of said mortgage, be advanced by plaintiff to pay assessments, street assessments or liens, which may be laid upon or attach to said property, or to purchase, compromise or otherwise settle any adverse claim to the mortgaged property, with interest at the rate of two per cent per month upon said payments, from the respective dates of payment thereof by plaintiff until repaid; that a receiver may be appointed to take possession and charge of said property and collect the rents and income thereof; that the defendants, and all persons claiming under them, or any or either of them, subsequent to the execution of said mortgage, either as purchasers, incumbrancers, attaching creditors, or otherwise, may be forever barred and foreclosed of all right, claim or equity of redemption in or to said premises, and each and every part thereof; that plaintiff may have judgment against the defendant, George T. Harris, for any deficiency which may remain unpaid of the amount found due on account of said installments or, under the terms of said mortgage, for principal or interest, or sums advanced by plaintiff, in accordance with the terms of said mortgage, after applying all the proceeds of the sale of said premises properly applicable to the satisfaction of the same; that this court decree that plaintiff may become a purchaser at the sale of said premises; that the commissioner execute a deed of said premises to the purchaser thereof, and that said purchaser be let into possession of said premises upon production of said commissioner's deed; and that plaintiff may have such other and further relief as may be meet and just.

All of the above more fully appears from the complaint on file herein, to which reference is hereby expressly made.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer to said complaint, as above required, said plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief in said complaint demanded.

Given under my hand and the seal of the superior court of the state of California, in and for the county of Fresno, this 15th day of March, A.D. 1896.

(Seal) T. G. HART, Clerk

By C. E. Wend, Deputy Clerk.

Joseph Hutchinson, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal., attorney for plaintiff.

Endorsed: Joseph Hutchinson, Mills Building, San Francisco, Cal., attorney for plaintiff.

RAISIN MEETINGS.

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Kingsburg, Monday, June 22d, at 2 p. m.

Scandinavian schoolhouse, Tuesday, June 23d at 7.30 p. m.

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Order of Adjudication of Insolvency.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of M. Goth, an insolvent debtor.

M. GOTH HAVING FILED IN THIS COURT his petition, schedule and inventory in insolvency, from which it appears that he is an insolvent debtor, the said M. Goth is hereby declared to be insolvent. It is hereby ordered that the sheriff of the county of Fresno, be, and he is hereby directed to take possession of all the estate, real and personal, of said M. Goth, insolvent debtor, whatsoever and wheresoever situate, except such as may be by law exempt from execution, and of all his deeds, vouchers, books of account and papers, and to keep the same safely until the appointment of an assignee of his estate. All persons having the same or any part thereof in his or their possession are hereby directed to deliver said property to said sheriff. And all persons are hereby forbidden to pay any debts to said insolvent, or to deliver any property belonging to such insolvent to him, or to any person, firm, corporation or association for his use, and the said debtor is hereby forbidden to transfer or deliver any property until the further order of this court, except as herein ordered.

It is further ordered, that all the creditors of said debtor whose claims shall have been filed with the clerk of said court at least two days prior to the date next hereinafter named, be and appear before the Hon. J. R. Webb, Judge of the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, in open court at the court room, of said court, in the county of Fresno, on the 29th day of June, 1896, at 10 o'clock a. m. of that day, to prove their debts and choose an assignee of the estate of said debtor.

It is further ordered, that this order be published in THE FRESNO MORNING REPUBLICAN, a daily newspaper of general circulation, published in the county of Fresno, as often as the said newspaper is published before the day set for the meeting of creditors.

And it is further ordered, that, in the meantime, all proceedings against said insolvent be stayed.

Dated 11th day of June, A. D. 1896.

E. W. RISLEY,

Judge of the Superior Court.

E. A. Williams, attorney for petitioner. j12

Notice to Creditors.

In the superior court of the county of Fresno, state of California.

In the matter of the estate of B. F. Smith, deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN BY THE UNdersigned, administrator of the estate of B. F. Smith, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice to the said administrator, personally, at his office in the court house, in the county of Fresno, state of California, or at the office of Everts & Ewing, attorneys for said administrator, rooms 2 and 3, First National Bank building, city of Fresno, county of Fresno, state of California.

Dated, June 6, 1896.

L. H. CHURCH,

Administrator of the estate of B. F. Smith, deceased. j7

Commissioner's Sale.

No. 6964.

In the Superior court, county of Fresno, state of California.

Jeanette E. Merritt, as executrix of the last will and testament of H. P. Merritt, deceased, plaintiff vs. Thomas Law Reed, Alta Irrigation District (a corporation) and the San Joaquin Valley College Association (a corporation) defendants.

WHEREAS, AN ORDER OF SALE IN THE above-entitled cause to me directed, was issued out of the Superior court of said county of Fresno, on the 28th day of May, 1896, on a judgment and decree of foreclosure of mortgage rendered therein and docketed on the 28th day of May, 1896, in favor of Jeanette E. Merritt, as executrix of the last will and testament of H. P. Merritt, deceased, plaintiff, and against Thomas Law Reed, Alta Irrigation District (a corporation) and the San Joaquin Valley College Association (a corporation) defendants, which said judgment and decree is recorded in judgment book, volume 8, of the said Superior court, on page 324, for the sum of forty-two thousand fifty-seven and 26-100 ($42,057 26-100) dollars in gold coin of the United States, with interest thereon at the rate of 7 per cent per annum from the date of said judgment, and accruing costs.

And whereas, I am commanded by the said order of sale to sell the mortgaged premises to satisfy the said judgment and all costs.

Notice is hereby given that on Wednesday the 24th day of June, 1896, at 2 o'clock p.m. of that day, in front of the principal door on the front (west side) of the court house, in Fresno, county of Fresno, State of California in obedience to the commands of said order of sale, I will sell the mortgaged premises in the said order of sale, as follows: Situated in Fresno county and being all of section number twenty three (23) and the east half (E½) of section number twenty-two (22), in township number fifteen (15) south, of range number twenty-three (23) east, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the judgment in said action, with interest accruing costs and expenses of sale.

And that the said sale will be made at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, payable in gold coin of the present standard of value and said sale is to be made subject to redemption as is by statute provided.

Dated, Fresno, May 28th, 1896.

S. F. EAST, Commissioner,

McKune & George and Horace Hawes, attorneys for plaintiff. m29

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